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TWO SONS OF W. W. ALLEN ARE DROWNED

Brother Loses Life In Effort To Save Brother

Bodies Recovered From Six Feet Of Water Five Miles North Of Lockney.

Alfred Allen, 17 and Martin Allen, 16, sons of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Allen, of Prairie Chapel Community, five miles north of Lockney, were drowned Saturday shortly after noon in a lake of water near their home. The older brother leaped from an improvised raft when the younger shouted for help. The bodies were recovered two hours later.

The boys with a younger brother, Woodrow, and Melvin Walters, had been playing all morning on a raft made of plank and gasoline cans. At noon they returned to play and were in the middle of the lake when the accident occurred. Martin, the younger, decided to take a swim. He was in water about six feet deep, swimming on his back, according to the reports reaching Floydada. He shouted to his brother that he was unable to turn over. Both drowned when the elder brother leaped to his assistance.

The boys' mother and neighbors were attracted by the cries of the boys on the raft, as the news spread a number of Lockney people went out to help recover the bodies. They were found in about two hours about eighteen inches apart.

W. W. Allen, father of the boys, was in Plainview when he was informed of the tragedy. He rushed, with a pulmotor operator, to the scene but efforts to revive the boys were fruitless.

The Allen family have lived in Floyd County for many years, the children being reared here. W. W. Allen is a contractor and has worked in Lockney, Floydada and Plainview.

Besides the parents, the deceased boys were survived by five brothers and a sister. Four of the brothers live in Amarillo. The boys who were drowned were pupils in Plainview High School. They were at home on a visit the week-end.

The funeral was held Monday afternoon at Lockney in the First Baptist church, an interment was made in the cemetery.

Shipping Yearling Steers Here For Winter Grass

Consignment of 1300 Young Cattle Received Here Last Week By Jenkins, Coverdale, Armstrong

Receipt Friday of last week at the local Santa Fe yards of seven carloads of yearling steers purchased by J. B. Jenkins and N. A. Armstrong for the use of Jenkins & Armstrong and Coverdale & Armstrong, was the first in a series of consignments that will continue to arrive before the end of the month. All the cattle purchased the two firms, including some 1300 head would have been shipped by receipt here this week, but on account of high water and difficult road conditions were asked to wait loading for a few days until settled weather.

All the cattle are yearling steers, they were purchased in small herds, at Hart, Hereford and Bovina and will be wintered in Floyd County pastures, according to the plans of the local cattlemen. About 300 head of the steers were bought by Jenkins & Armstrong and the other 1,000 by Coverdale & Armstrong.

Geo. A. Coverdale, of Coffeyville, Okla., is here this week looking over the situation and inspecting the cattle to be wintered. Mr. Coverdale in addition to wintering on the heavy end of the steers that will winter here also made a heavy purchase of steers and calves owned at Post. He will leave the country for the winter probably.

Fe Crosbyton Line Dredged Out Near Lorenzo

Annual occurrence for the plains washout of the Santa Fe's Crosbyton line last week. Several feet of this line a short distance west of Lorenzo went out and service was given by running a boom from each direction a part of the washout occurred in a lake, the inundation giving away.

WILSON'S TO PHILADELPHIA

Mrs. J. M. Willson left this week for Chicago and Philadelphia to be absent from home several weeks. Mr. Willson will attend the national meeting of the American Federation of Labor at Philadelphia. Mr. Willson will represent the Sesqui-Centennial of the city.

Communities, Business Firms, Civic Organizations Parade During Fair Despite Weather



THE FAIR PARADE

Rain and chill winds which caused spectators to wrap themselves in heavy clothing and overcoats did not keep the merchants, civic organizations and communities of Floyd County from parading their decorated floats before hundreds of admirers during the fair here. In the fore front is shown the unique Campbell Community automobile which was awarded first place in its division. The Sand Hill car is shown in second position. Photo by Wilson.

Dry Road Thru County Is Arranged By Wilmuth

State Highway Through County Can Be Travelled Without Being Pulled If Detours Followed

C. E. Wilmuth, Supervisor of 120 miles of State highway, including Highway No. 28 through Floyd County, spent the day Tuesday of this week in this county and Tuesday night announced that arrangements had been completed whereby the entire route could be made by automobile through this county without being pulled across lakes. Four detours are necessary, two east of Floydada, one between Floydada and Lockney and one the other side of Lockney. The biggest problem presented was east of Floydada where the lake by the Sims place is waist deep over the highway dump. The lake at the Green place eight miles out is almost as bad.

J. G. Wood, president of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce, and Kight Dickey, local grocer, spent the afternoon with Mr. Wilmuth hunting detour routes east of Floydada, and Mr. Dickey declared he never saw lakes so high. "It will be the first of the year if not another drop of rain falls, before travel can be resumed over the lake at the Sims place," he declared.

The route arranged for east and which is being put in as good condition as possible by the highway department, will throw travel from the northwest corner of Floydada instead of the southeast corner, east three miles, thence south one mile to the highway. At five miles another detour is necessary. The traveler must go south one mile, thence east to Baker School house, taking the first road leading north on the other side of the school house back into the highway.

At the best, Mr. Wilmuth said, roads that are so nearly impassable that autos have to be pulled, are bad, and hurried efforts were made to obtain detours.

All detours are marked or will be marked as quickly as possible so that it will not be likely for autoists to get off the road.

McDermott Post Elects Officers Monday Night

Monday night McDermott Post, American Legion, elects their officers for the year beginning in December, and the officers will be installed the first meeting night in that month.

On the first meeting night in November the legion boys plan to start an intensive campaign for new members.

"We expect to have a big crowd and lots of fun Monday night, and we want to urge all ex-service men who will be present without fail," is the word that has gone out from officials of the local post.

DUCKS PLENTIFUL; HUNTING SEASON WILL OPEN SATURDAY

"Better clean up the ol' gun, and buy a big stock of shells, 'cause the duck season will soon be open." This is the advice being offered to the hunters of the county. The hunting season opens Saturday, October 16, and the hunters are preparing for the biggest season in some years.

With every lake in this section of the country running over, and the un-gathered maize crops to tempt the ducks, sportsmen are looking forward with much enthusiasm to the opening of the duck season. Provided there are no more rains in the next few weeks, the boys will begin to "bring 'em in, by the dozens."

BORN—to Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hensley, city, October 10, a son.

County Tax Rolls Carry \$10,762,640 In Values

Tax rolls completed last week by County Assessor C. M. Meredith were gone over and approved by the Commissioners' court in their session Monday. Tuesday the rolls were forwarded to the office of the State Comptroller for his approval.

Total taxable values in the county, as shown by these rolls, are \$10,762,640. This is an increase over last year of \$148,553, and since the commissioners court of the past few years have been striving to hold down valuations it may be taken for granted that all the values indicated are there.

No increase in the values for taxes of real estate or personal property has been made in a number of years, successive courts striving to hold down valuations to reduce the county's proportionate payment of taxes to the state. An investigation at the time the present policy was adopted showed that several wealthy counties were receiving back from the state more money in scholastic funds than they were paying in, which counties like Floyd were aiding to pay.

Commissioners To Push Delinquent Collections

Delinquent Tax Roll Compiled Shows More Than \$20,000 Delinquent On Personal Taxes Alone

Completion of a delinquent tax roll for Floyd County was made last week by Tax Collector J. R. Maddox on order of the Commissioners' Court, which body has instituted a vigorous campaign for the collection of delinquent taxes in the county. Tuesday in their session individual commissioners voiced the determination to push the collection from delinquents, who they point out, are allowing the paying real and personal property holders to carry the load of county and state government. The tax collector has been instructed to notify all delinquents and declare that suits will be instituted in November, where delinquents fail to pay. L. B. Maxey, deputy in Collector J. R. Maddox's office, estimates the delinquent rolls compiled to carry more than \$20,000 in insolvent taxes alone, meaning taxes which are assessed solely against personal property.

"Every department in the county is in sore need of the funds which these delinquents have not paid," County Judge E. C. Nelson, Jr., said in court Tuesday morning. "The heavy rains which have occasioned serious loss to the road funds is only an added incentive for pushing collections against delinquents. Naturally, the court thinks that every taxpayer should be required to carry his part of the load of county government. It isn't fair for one man to pay and another not to pay."

It is the plan of the court to institute the suits in November of this year, the belief being expressed by commissioners Tuesday morning that this is not only a matter of duty to the county's financial affairs but to taxpayers of the county as well who have already paid their taxes. The period covered by the collections drive extends back for the past several years.

BORN—to Mr. and Mrs. Creed Parish, of Cone, October 11, a son.

Floyd Co. Exhibit 31st In Dallas Competition

Floyd County's exhibit was awarded thirty-first place in competition with sixty counties at the Texas State Fair, according to a telegram received by The Hesperian from Ed Bishop, manager of the exhibit, yesterday morning.

Five other plains counties fared better than Floyd. Garza County won first place. Randall second, Hale eighth, Lubbock eleventh, Briscoe seventeenth. Garza County's score was 906 out of a possible 1,000. Floyd County's score was 775.

Floyd County lost out principally on vegetables and grain sorghums, she wired stated. This was anticipated by local Chamber of Commerce workers who were advised last week that shipments made were damaged. An effort to get better exhibits to the fair before the closing hour for exhibits to be in place, lost by several hours on account of heavy roads making the assembling of the products difficult.

The exhibit is proving a valuable advertising medium for the county, Ed wired.

Lee Highway Meeting Set For Friday At Plainview

A meeting of Lee Highway delegates to further plan for marking and advertising the route through Texas will be held tomorrow at Plainview. The meeting, set at the Floydada meeting in late September, is expected to accomplish a closely knit state unit for action in carrying forward the promotion of the route.

Dr. S. M. Johnson, general director of the national Lee Highway Association, as well as delegates as far east as Ardmore, Okla., and as far west as El Paso, are expected at the meeting. Delegates from Floydada will attend the meeting.

MOTHER OF MRS. J. A. AWTREY DIES IN VERNON HOME SAT.

Mrs. G. L. Ham, age 66, of Vernon, died at her home in Vernon early last Saturday morning, following an illness of some six weeks. Mrs. Ham is the mother of Mrs. J. A. Awtrey, of this city.

Mrs. Awtrey is just recovering from an appendicitis operation, and was unable to attend her mother's funeral. Miss Tommie Lee Awtrey left last Saturday for Vernon and attended her grandmother's funeral Sunday. She returned Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Ham is survived by a husband, two daughters, four sons, a brother, a sister, and nineteen grand children. Mrs. Awtrey was the only member of the immediate family that was not present at the time of her mother's death.

PITTS TRANSFER MOVING TO ENOCH BUILDING, EAST SIDE

Pitts Transfer Company Monday began moving from their location in the Martin Building, second door north of the Floyd County National Bank, to the Enoch building on the east side.

For the present both the office and storage rooms of the transfer company will be in the Enoch Building. However, on account of the need for more storage space offices may be acquired at some other place soon, J. C. Hay, manager of the company, said.

Floyd County Clubs Win Many Places At Dallas

Home Demonstration Clubs Win Nine Places Against Much Competition At State Fair.

Women's home demonstration clubs of Floyd County have scored highly at the State Fair in Dallas, according to reports at this office. The Floyd County clubs won three first prizes, three second, and three third prizes in the home economics department. This is probably more than any other county in the state has scored.

Miss Blanche Bass is home demonstration agent of Floyd County and much of the success of the clubs may be attributed to her efforts devoted in this work. The clubs of the county are rated as first year clubs and they won a place in practically every division that they entered.

The first places won at the fair were by the Providence Club for the best pillow cases. The Sand Hill club for the best wash dress, and the Mayview club for the best table linen. The second places were won by the following: Miss Marie Smith, of the McCoy club, with the best Club History and Record, the Pleasant Valley club for the best collection of jellies, and the Campbell club for the best braided rug.

Miss Evelyn Bobbitt, of the Lone Star club, won first place with the best home improvement article. The Starkey club also won third place with the best wash dresses, and Sand Hill third for the best dried products.

Girl Club Winners Leave For Encampment At Fair

Marie Smith And Alma Curry, Of McCoy Club, Given Trips As Prizes For Club Work.

Marie Smith, of the McCoy Four H Club who was awarded the trip to the State Fair, Dallas as first prize for her excellent club work which was judged at the County Fair; and Alma Curry, who was awarded second place also of the McCoy club, will attend the club girls encampment at Dallas and will be guests of the Fair Association October 19 to 21 inclusive. The first prize trip was given by the Hesperian Publishing Co.

The club girls' enrollment of this county allows two girls as representatives and the second girl is being sent by the McCoy Four H Club girls. The girls' work was judged on their home improvement articles, club canning and sewing. Ella Mae Puckett from McCoy was elected alternate to Miss Curry and also deserves special mention for her outstanding club work.

The winners accompanied by Miss Blanche Bass, County Home Demonstration Agent, will leave Sunday afternoon for Dallas. They will go in Miss Bass's car by way of Spur and will be joined there by two club girls from Dickens County.

MISS BASS ATTENDING HOME DEM. DISTRICT MEETING

Miss Blanche Bass, County Home Demonstration agent, accompanied by Miss Opal Wood, Home Demonstration agent of Hale County, left Tuesday morning for Seymour where they are attending the District Meeting of Home Demonstration agents which convened Wednesday for a two days session. Miss Bass and Miss Wood went by Spur for Miss Gordon, Demonstration agent of Dickens county, who will also attend the meeting.

Mrs. Maggie W. Barry and several other prominent club women of the state will appear on the program. Miss Bass will also give a talk.

Floydada Will Have Gas From Amarillo By Jan. 1

Work On New Line From Panhandle Field Will Start At Once.

The Texas Gas Company, of Amarillo, has awarded the contract for the construction of its natural gas line which will serve more than a score of South Plains towns. The contract was let Tuesday night to three separate contractors, who are as follows: Panhandle Construction Company, Lubbock; Irick & Knupp, Plainview; John W. Moore Construction Company of Lubbock. This line will extend for a distance of more than 150 miles, and will be complete not later than January first, 1927, officials declared. Work on the new line will begin immediately.

This is probably the largest project of its kind in this section of the country. The entire project, which includes a second line, 55 miles in length, entails the expenditure of more than \$4,000,000., according to officials.

The contract for the distributing system in this city was awarded to Williams Brothers, of Tulsa, Oklahoma. The contracts were awarded to various companies in order to get the lines completed as soon as possible. The construction on the line which will branch out of Plainview and will serve Floydada and Lockney, will begin at once, and material will be assembled for the line as soon as possible, reports state.

The cities on this line which are already under franchise to the Texas Gas Company are Floydada, Plainview, Lockney, Lubbock, Slaton, and Tulia. It is probable that several other towns will give franchise to the company. The franchise for the construction of the lines in Floydada was granted on June 28, by the City Council.

Ralls Jackrabbits Meet Whirlwinds Here Friday

Strong Teams Will Clash Two Blocks East of High School Here Tomorrow.

The Ralls Jackrabbits will meet the Floydada Whirlwinds here Friday in one of the big football games scheduled by the Whirlwinds. Owing to the fact that the baseball park is under water, the game will be played in the Duncan pasture just two blocks east of the High School building. The field is being marked off and is expected to be in excellent condition by time for the game tomorrow.

The Jackrabbits, according to reports, are here this year, having an excellent record. The Whirlwinds have played two official games and have won by a large score in both games. The weight of the two teams is very nearly the same, and both teams are credited with much "football sense." The local fans are expecting a good game tomorrow.

The probable line of the Whirlwinds in Friday's game is: left end, Marshall; left tackle, Borum; left guard, Gaither; center, Edwards; right guard, Carleton; right tackle, Capt. Swain; right end, Jim Carter; quarter back, Eubank; left half, de Cordova; full back, Sid Carter; right half, White.

According to Superintendent West and Coach Ike Jay, the Whirlwinds are gaining in strength every day. Last Friday's game, although won by the local boys, has brought out the fighting spirit, and they are working hard to develop a championship team.

Paving Contracts Done; Machinery Shipped On

The last paving contract awarded to Earl W. Baker Construction Company in Floydada was given the final touch Tuesday afternoon of this week and machinery is being loaded out to the points. Most of the men who have been on this work going to Hollis, Okla. where the company has been working on a series of projects.

The intersection on South Street was the last work completed. This 80-foot extension adds great value to the work done on the old block of South Main.

Failure of the West California project to materialize as well as connecting block between Main and on Mississippi, leaves approx \$6,000 in the street improvement unexpended.

PLAN TO BUY FEEDER HOGS IN KANSAS FOR LOCAL N

J. I. Hammonds and J. T. Howard Tuesday for Smith Center, Kan., the central north part of that where they plan to buy several stocker hogs for this territory. Hogs are being shipped in section extensively. A count of drought-killed during the time, which cut off the stuffs.

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PRICE OF GATHERING LOWER

It appears that a considerable part, perhaps nearly all, of the cotton crop of the county is going to be snapped this season. Whether this is good business or not remains for the individual to determine. From the outside looking in it seems to be bad business. However, the man who produces a thing and then tests the market ought to know better than anyone else.

But the fact remains that the crop this season will be gathered on a lower price level than last year, while the man who owns the crop will realize on it, bale for bale, by the end of the season, more than he did last year in this county.

NOT ENOUGH PAVING

Even a good thing can be overdone. But paving in Floydada is a good thing and it has not been overdone.

In fact, paving in Floydada has not been done enough. The Hesperian would like to see a real paving program started and accomplished within the next year or two.

Property holders on West California, West Missouri, West Mississippi and South Main ought not to be satisfied until they get the paving well out into the residence sections.

LAKES CAN'T BE HELPED

Floyd County people who want something done immediately about the roads should bear in mind that neither the commissioners nor the highway department can do anything about the lakes. Fair weather is the only remedy for them.

Detours can be arranged for and drags and machinery can be set to work on the places that can be repaired. But sunshine and wind are the only remedies available for lakes that are out of bounds.

Road conditions are bad enough and some inconvenience to the producer and the man at the end of the producer's road are to be encountered. We would like to hurry the commissioners, too. But we imagine they can do a better job if they're not harrassed.

IS YOUR BUSINESS NEEDED?

Here is a little preachment for the man in business in Floydada:

One of the greatest things to be said about any town is that its businesses are excellently conducted, that they fill their needs in their respective lines, that they are progressive, clean, energetic,—the good kind of businesses.

Hence, in a measure, every business in Floydada is a knock or a boost for the town. Check up on your business. Give it some thought from the viewpoint of the public—of the value it is to your community? Are you making it fill the bill? Is your business a knock or a booster?

A town may be big or little, but the character of the business establishments determine whether the town is looked upon as a "keen" place or simply another place where several people "keep store."

NO RAILROAD REPORT.

No report nor no indication when the report of the Interstate Commerce Commission may be anticipated on the Plains Railway construction program.

But the plains country keeps developing, expanding, improving, in spite of lack of railway facilities. The country will be all the more worthy, all the more in position to support any railways that may be permitted to build, when they are built.

But it is tiresome waiting.

'UNREASONING FEAR.'

Frank B. Hayne, president of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange, declares that nothing but "unreasoning fear" on the part of the raisers of cotton in the south is running cotton prices to such low levels. Mr. Hayne, in a remarkable interview, declared that the grower, with the aid of his banker, can keep too much of the present crop of cotton being dumped on the market.

While Mr. Hayne does not say that 25 cent cotton can be accomplished by a holding movement of any kind, he does declare that higher levels can be obtained for the cotton market if the "unjustified fear" that has seized growers would be cast off.

IT COULD BE WORSE

While we have little sympathy with that kind of optimist who says, in spite

of all adversities that everything is all right anyhow, we cannot see the pessimism which pervades some quarters as having good foundation in fact, so far as Floyd County is concerned.

Floyd County now has one thing to bother about. That is when the weather will permit the crops to be gathered. Admitting much waste in both feed and cotton from the elements, we still have the largest crops of both in recent years, to gather. Cotton is gradually seeking higher levels from the low of the last government estimate which in turn had been discounted by the trade before it occurred, the seller joining in with the buyer in depressing the market unreasonably.

Another thing which Floyd County people may well keep in mind for comparison. While the price level for cotton this season is expected to be lower than the level last year, Floyd County raisers stand to realize more from their cotton per bale on an average than they did last year, on account of the grade. Last year when the cotton was moving readily here the price received was lower than the price this season, bale for bale. This year nearly one and three quarter millions of bushels of wheat have bolstered up the financial bulwarks of the county, and the individual raiser is more nearly in position to stand his ground to wait the recession of the cotton "slugging" farmer who throws his cotton on the market regardless.

Things could be a lot worse. No need for a panicky disposition on the part of the raiser. In fact, a part of the crop can be sold and a part kept off the market with ease to the benefit of everybody concerned.

SOME MUST SELL

In any kind of calculation like this, it must be borne in mind that there are a number of cotton raisers, like people in other businesses, who on account of the relation between creditor and debtor, and the rental system, must dispose of the commodity as they get it gathered.

Even for these, there is good reason to expect a higher realization from their crop, on an average, than last year. Principally on account of the fact that the crop was planted and grown cheaper than in a number of years and because it is going to be gathered at a lower cost.

This and That

If it rains tomorrow night it will be the fifth Friday that hasn't missed.

At that conditions lack a lot of being as bad as they were twelve months ago. It's a fact.

This year the county raised its second biggest wheat crop of record and there is enough feed in the country to last two years.

And if a man can't get cotton pickers to gather his crop he can make wages gathering it himself. That's one thing some people are overlooking.

These folks that went travelling downstate this summer and couldn't find any cotton must have been near-sighted, if reports we hear from Washington and elsewhere are trustworthy.

It was down at the drug store in the sixth inning of the fourth game of the World Series. Sherdel was working with Babe Ruth carefully, the announcer said. A man was on first. Two strikes and three balls on the batter. Two men down. Just as Sherdel wound up for the last fateful ball Doc Thacker upstairs started grinding out another poor devil's tooth and the boys from the dry goods stores and around had to move down the street to another radio receiving set to find out that Babe Ruth got his third home run in a world series game.

Oh, well, boys, Doc has to have a living. He can't take baseball returns and buy groceries with them.

At about the same time the boys at the drug store were saying things about the dentist and his grinding, O. P. Rutledge was gathered about his radio set next to The Hesperian and drinking in the returns when the printers' motors started up enlightening the world—you know—that sprightly weekly that keeps them all guessing. O. P.'s words were kindly meant but pointedly said.

"Dang that outfit; I wish I had an ad this week. I'd cancel it so quick it would make their heads swim."

Over at Plainview it is said a farmer put the "mud hole" across his farm in competition with a detour arranged for by the highway department. Changing the detour sign placed by the department so as to route autoists in an opposite direction and placing his team at an advantageous spot, this financier was doing so well that the department could get him to let their sign "stay put" only after considerable argument and persuasion.

The Dallas News' Sunday edition consisted of 230 pages in twenty sections.

If bass travel down stream in the fall when rises come the boys below the Country Club ought to have a good start of bass by this time. Blanco has been "doing it stuff," and the bass put in the club lake, if they're alive and doing well, had plenty of opportunity to get hence if they desired to do so.

People are going to have to detour by side roads and through such fields and pastures as they are allowed in Floyd County to get by the swollen lakes until such time as the waters recede so that the commissioners can get to the roads. In these places there is nothing a commissioner can do. On the remainder of the roads it is to be hoped that the commissioners give all possible speed to dragging and filling low places.

Some writer recently used the expression "inexperienced children" in speaking of picking cotton. Can you imagine it? In Texas?

HALF-MINUTE INTERVIEWS

Miss Myrtle Murray, District Home Demonstration Agent, states in a letter to Ed Bishop, in referring to the Luncheon Club "That certainly is a live bunch of business men. No wonder you are able to accomplish so much."

R. A. Burrows: "We had three trucks enroute from Lubbock to Floydada last Friday night when we got caught near Allmon in the hardest rain I ever recall being in, and I thought I had been in some bad ones before."

Earl Rainer: "The best I can tell, we've had all the rain we need for the present."

Tom Porter: "My cotton that was beaten up so badly by the hail in mid-summer—completely ruined, The Hesperian said at the time—is making 160 pounds to the half-mile row."

HOPKINS IS RECOVERING

Maury Hopkins, of Plainview, is regaining his strength and will resume his duties with the Chamber of Commerce there at an early date, following an illness of several weeks which necessitated an operation ten days ago.

He is at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Hopkins at Miami at this time. The operation was done at a Canadian hospital.

Car Of Buick Sedans

Callaway Motor Company, who had been unable to obtain cars for several days, last week unloaded a car sedan type Buicks.

The new Buick agency has also increased its facilities for the accommodation of Buick owners by adding a Buick parts and service department. Advantages offered by these departments of the Callaway Motor Company are expected to serve very materially the convenience of Buick owners in this section.

SALE OF 1927 HESPERIANS WILL START WITHIN TWO WEEKS

Sale of the 1927 Hesperians, the annual publication by the students of the Floydada High School, will start in about a week, according to Ben Ayres, editor of the publication. Ben stated further that, the annuals are going to be made of good material this year, yet inexpensive. A large number will be ordered, and the sales campaign will be started soon.

The panels and the covers for the publication were ordered last week and work with the pictures of the classes has already started. The covers will be flexible and probably a green color. The panels will be very attractive, it is said.

SIMMONS PEP SQUAD LEAD BY IRA MARSHALL THIS YEAR

The Pep Squad of the Simmons University is a very important body in the school activities there this year, according to the Simmons Brand.

Ira Marshall, of this city, is pep leader this year, and the body is making good progress under his direction, the Brand states. Special uniforms have been ordered for the squad, and the body is spending much time in training for the coming school events. According to Marshall, each member of the squad will wear "dinky little caps, of purple and gold."

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"You may also call for my husband's suit. Clean and press it and deliver it today."

Remember—Russell is careful with your clothes and will return them to you in perfect condition.

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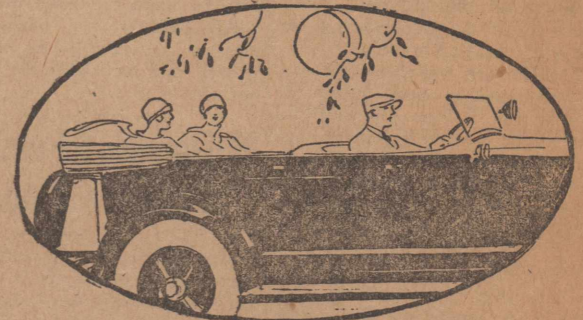
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Whirlwinds Defeat The Longhorns Fri. 16-2

Game In Lockney Friday Is Hardest For Both Teams In Several Years.

The Floydada Whirlwinds defeated the Lockney Longhorns last Friday by the score of 16-2, in the hardest fought game of either school this season. The game was played at the Longhorn park in Lockney, and a large crowd was present. Many people from Floydada attended the game in spite of the bad roads.

The game was scoreless until the third quarter when Floydada scored a field goal. At the end of the half both teams had begun to see red. The ball had changed hands many times, with Floydada making the greater number of first downs on line plunges. The third quarter, however, the Whirlwinds scored a field goal and two touchdowns in the fourth quarter.

Teams Well Matched
The Lockney pep squad consisted of forty well trained, uniformed high school girls. As they marched on the field, led by the twelve famous Ukele girls of the Lockney High School, they kept perfect step. Their uniforms consisted of a red skirt, white blouse and a red neck tie. Their formation between the halves was also very interesting.

Both teams showed wonderful sportsmanship throughout the game. Headlinesman Cameron and referee Lockhart, of Canyon, both commented upon the clean playing of the teams.

Lockney's line, with the weight of each man is given here: Dagley, L. end, 135; Mosley, L. tackle, 155; Ormon, L. guard, 160; Hill center, 160; Shurbet, R. guard, 180; Kester, R. tackle, 150; Teaff, R. end, 180; Capt. Jarnagin, Q. back, 136; V. Shelton, R. half, 150; Dardan, L. half, 135; Rives, full back, 155.

The Whirlwind's line with the weight of each player is as follows: J. Carter, L. end, 145; Borum, L. tackle, 161; Marshall, L. guard, 175; Edwards, center, 175; Carleton, R. guard, 168; Swain, R. Tackle, 165; White, R. end, 145; Eubank, Q. back, 147; de Cordova, R. half, 156; Lewis, L. half, 165; S. Carter, F. back, 161.

First Quarter Scoreless
Lockney received in the first quarter, and made first down, on line plunges. They punt on third down, and Floydada covers after fumble. Floydada thrown for five yard loss. Punt 30 yards to Lockney. Longhorns draw two five yard penalties for off side. Punt 35 yards to Whirlwinds. Floydada completes four first downs on plunges, but ball over to Lockney on fourth down as whistle blows for first quarter.

Second quarter, Lockney holds ball on five yard line and first down. Thrown for six yard loss. Punt to Whirlwinds. Floydada thrown for two yard loss. Floydada fumbles on third down and Lockney covers. Floydada calls time for Eubank, who suffered bad injuries on the neck, but continues to play. Lockney makes first down on plunges. Thrown for two yard loss and punt to Floydada on fourth down. Whirlwinds complete 5 yard pass but penalized 15 yards for holding. Punt 35 yards to Lockney, who returns punt after fourth down. Floydada calls time for White. Whirlwinds substitute Terry for de Cordova. Floydada incomplete pass, and Lockney penalized 5 yards for off side. Makes first down, but incomplete two passes and draw five yard penalty. Complete 25 yard pass to Lewis. Second complete pass to Lewis covers 10 yards. Third pass to twenty yard line but whistle blows for half.

Third quarter, Floydada receives, and returns punts on third down. Lockney covers behind goal and ball on 20 yard line. Whirlwinds block Lockney punt and covers on 20 yard line. Floydada completes short pass and Longhorns penalized 10 yards for holding. Carter, for Floydada, drop-kicks field goal giving Floydada 3 points. Floydada receives and Lockney calls time for Teaff. Floydada penalized 15 yards. Floydada punts 15 yards. Lockney covers, but fumble on first down. Whirlwinds make first down, and whistle blows for third quarter.

Many Whirlwinds made good plays in the fourth quarter but Carleton receives credit for starring in this quarter. The Longhorns receive but the ball changes hands several times, after failure on fourth downs. Lockney's ball on their own 25 yard line. Incomplete pass and Carleton of the Whirlwinds, receives. Carleton runs 25 yards, sidestepping two Longhorns, and cross Lockney's goal. Kick for extra point was successful.

With the score 10-0, Lockney receives, and returns punt. Lockney penalized 15 yards for unnecessary roughness. Floydada plunges 10 yards to nine yard line. Time called for Hill, of the Longhorns. Lewis, of Floydada, plunges to goal for Whirlwinds. Try for extra point fails.

With two minutes to play, Floydada receives, but stopped on their own 3 yard line. Lockney throws Marshall, of Floydada, for safety goal which scored the Longhorns two points. Floydada punts from 20 yard line to Lockney on 35 yard line. Lockney incomplete pass as time was called. Final score, 16-2, favoring the Whirlwinds.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Brown, of Lubbock, spent the first of the week here visiting relatives.

W. C. Grigsby returned home Monday from Dallas, where he had been with his son, Billy, for an operation on his feet and an injured arm. The operation on the boys arm will likely be done this week. Mrs. Grigsby is visiting with a sister in Fort Worth, and was joined there Tuesday by little Miss Virginia.

Skinny Moore who has been playing semi-professional baseball the past season with a Tonkawa, Okla., baseball team, is here for a brief visit with his sister, Mrs. F. S. Kinnard. He is enroute to California for the winter. His team won thirty-eight and lost eight of their games the past season. They were in the Denver, Colo., tournament, winning fourth place.

Holmes Bros. Pig Heads Duroc Herd at Tech

Although Holmes Bros. Hilltop Farm did not get to show at the South Plains Fair, on account of being water-bound enroute from Amarillo Tri-State Exposition for nearly 18 hours and arriving at Lubbock too late to make entry, the trip of Ed Holmes and his brother to Lubbock was not entirely fruitless.

At Lubbock one of their show hogs attracted the attention of the Texas Tech Agricultural Department head, with the result that the pig—a senior boar—exchanged ownership, and now heads the Duroc herd at the Texas Technological College.

CUSTER TRANSFERRED FROM TEXAS; NOT STERN ENOUGH

The portrayal of the last days of Custer in a recent pictured drama at the Olympic Theatre, in which the last stand of Custer was supposed to be shown, recalled to Justice J. C. Gaither that the hero of the Little Big Horn was once stationed with the U. S. Army in Texas.

Justice Gaither met and chatted with the famous leader of the Seventh Cavalry a number of times. It was during the Reconstruction Period and as Mr. Gaither recalls it, Custer was stationed in Texas about two years, but was transferred to the northern Indian country because he was not stern enough to suit the "ring" which it was alleged controlled civil and army politics at Washington at the time.

"Custer was a man of slighter build than he was pictured," Mr. Gaither said. "His eyes were sunken and, when in repose, he seemed to have a sad or melancholy look. His hair was long and almost yellow. When he smiled his face lighted up and he was a very handsome man."

The unfortunate occurrence when Sitting Bull's hordes snuffed out Custer's Regiment, ended the career of a very brilliant soldier, and Custer's death was deeply deplored among Texans of the Reconstruction Days who had good reason to appreciate him, Judge Gaither said.

Miss Florence Green returned to Amarillo Thursday morning to resume her work as a special nurse. Miss Green has been in Floydada for about a month visiting with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Fry have recently purchased the old Fry home place and moved to their new home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hughes reached home Monday from Fort Worth, making the trip westward to Quanah the first day and in home the second. Mrs. Hughes had been visiting at Fort Worth for a month.

J. A. Kinnard, state inspector of weights and measures, was in Floydada last week. Mr. Kinnard inspected only a few scales while here, being on his way to points in East Texas. He was sent by the State Department of Agriculture.

Henry Bradford, of Canyon, arrived Monday and will spend the week with his daughter, Mrs. Lon M. Davis and family. Mr. Davis is ill with the flu this week and Mr. Bradford is keeping the gin during Mr. Davis' absence.

Miss Ruby Price, who has been visiting Miss Gwendolyn Green at Wichita Falls, returned home Sunday. Miss Green is formerly of this city, she is in training at the General Hospital at Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Beasley made a business trip to Amarillo, last week. Mrs. S. D. Greer and Mr. and Mrs. Flynn Thagard returned Monday night from a visit with Mrs. Greer's cousin, Mrs. J. W. Stringer at Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Tye and children who are living at White Deer, were here on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. S. B. McCleskey and relatives from Friday to Tuesday last.

Truett Butler went to Amarillo, Monday morning on business. He will be gone several days.

A. R. Hanna left Monday morning for Dallas where he will look after business matters and attend the Dallas Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. W. U. White, and Wells Henry left Sunday for Dallas, where they will attend the State Fair.

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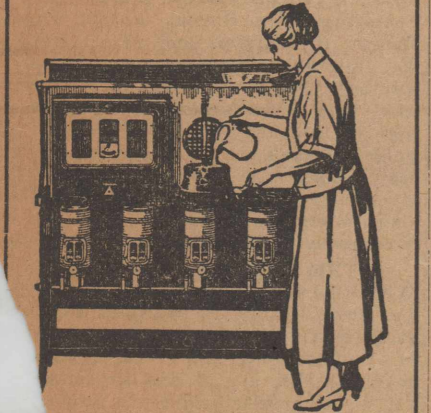
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 Notice is also given to those property owners on the above named street who desire to pay cash that the thirty (30) day cash period expires November 12, 1926, and those desiring to take advantage of same, shall pay on or before that date.
 Signed this 14th day of October, 1926. Earl W. Baker & Company. By Burl Bedford, City Secretary. 331tc

Sand Hill News
 Sand Hill, Oct. 12.—Every one in this community is busy working in the fields, and we hope it doesn't rain any more for a while.
 Miss Louise Hanna returned from Canyon, because of illness.
 Lawrence Potete and Miss Inez Beavers, of this community were united in marriage, October 8.
 The singing held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis was attended by a large crowd.
 Miss Alene Woods, of Vernon, visited Miss Lono Cates the latter part of last week.
 School was dismissed today, October 12, for a month or six weeks.

The honor roll of the Sand Hill school is as follows: 2nd grade, Billie Green; 3rd grade, W. J. Thompson, Oleta Standifer, Rhoda Mae Duncan; 5th grade, Earl Hanks; Ted Standifer; 6th grade, Leroy Green, Dee Cates; 7th grade, W. E. Dooley, Deniz Protobasco; 8th grade, Lena Faye Parkey, A. B. Masterson; 9th grade, Lum Davis, Wel-don Moore.
PLAINS MOTOR CO., NEW USED CAR DEALERS OPEN HERE
 The Plains Motor Company, with George Bryant, formerly of Eastland, as manager has rented half of the Day and Night Garage floor space of this city. The company will handle used cars of all makes, as the main feature of the business.
 The company started their business on the first of this month. The business is incorporated, and has more than four business houses over the state. Mr. Bryant plans to make this his home.

W. T. BUTLER TAKES PLACE WITH BANK AT AMARILLO
 W. T. Butler leaves this week for Amarillo to take a place in the American State Bank, resigning as salesman with the Baker-Campbell 'M' System Store.
 For two years Mr. Butler was with the Massie Wholesale Grocery here until some six months ago.
CORINTH, MISS. MAN BUYS J. A. CALLIHAN PROPERTY
 R. E. Harrison, of Corinth, Miss., last week completed the purchase of the City Hotel property from J. A. Callihan, the transfer having already been completed.
 The new owner was here to close the deal, and following the transfer, gave a long term lease on the property to E. T. Hanks who will operate it as a hotel. It has been conducted as a rooming house for nearly a year.
 Several months ago the property was contracted for by A. B. Martin, of Plainview. A defect in the title developed and this deal fell through. However, the title was made good at the current term of district court.

LUNCHEON VISITORS NUMEROUS AT BI-MONTHLY TALK FEST
 Monday's session of the Luncheon Club was marked by the presence of several visitors, Lockney, Plainview, Lamesa and Harmony Community being represented around the board. The out-of-town guest list included District Judge R. C. Joiner and C. S. Williams, of Plainview; G. A. Thomas, of Lamesa; Geo. T. Meriwether, Judge J. M. Stallbird and Mr. Rosenbaum of Lockney; and R. B. Gary, of Harmony.
 Of these Judge Joiner and C. S. Williams made brief talks.
 Little Miss Nell Stevenson favored the club with a reading and an encore both of which were cleverly done and were heartily applauded.
 R. E. Fry made the only committee report of the day. It was on investigations made by himself and colleagues on the matter of resolving the local club into a unit of some international club. The report of the committee was heard and the committee continued.

BOX SUPPER AT MCCOY TO BE GIVEN FOR PIANO FUND
 A box supper will be given Friday night, October 22, at the Methodist church in the McCoy community. The proceeds will go toward paying for a new piano which the church has recently purchased.
 A short program will be given preceding the box supper.
MANY SCHOOLS ASK STATE AID; LAST DAY FRIDAY, OCT. 15
 Probably twenty Floyd County rural schools will ask for aid from the State Aid Fund for schools this year, County Superintendent Price Scott thinks. Eighteen schools had made their applications Monday of this week and others were expected to make applications by tomorrow.
 Tomorrow—Friday, October 15th—is the last day for applications for state aid to be made.

Junior Red Cross Being Re-Organized In County

Mrs. Lon V. Smith, County Chairman, Names Leaders And Announces Plans For Fall Activities.
 Mrs. L. V. Smith, County Junior Red Cross chairman, has just completed Junior Red Cross organizations in all three of the local schools in each of the rooms and organized the Lockney School Friday. Mrs. Smith hopes to have the entire county organized by the latter part of this week. Mrs. E. L. Angus was appointed chairman of the High School organization. Mrs. Ed Brown, chairman of South Ward Junior Red Cross and Mrs. E. B. Massie, chairman of Andrews Ward Junior Red Cross.
 The purpose of the Junior Red Cross organization is to teach the children to do kindly deeds and thoughtful service for others and through International correspondence a world friendship is fostered.
 A letter which comes from a little girl in Switzerland which would probably be of interest to everyone is as follows:
 Hohere Tochterschule, Hohe Promenade, Zurich Switzerland, Grade: Gym. 111 Gardner High School, Gardner, Massachusetts, Grade: Third Year.
 Dear Unknown American Friends:
 I thank you in the name of my whole class for your letters. Two years ago when I heard the first time of this interschool correspondence I was very glad. I hoped that we might hear in these letters about your life, the life of an American girl, that we might get a picture of your school, of your school organization and school problems. But I was rather disappointed. The letters we got were little compositions, sometimes very nice ones to be sure but about things by which we cannot make our acquaintances, things we can also read in books or of which we speak in school. I know quite well that we also work in this way, but I believe that this is not the right thing. As I understand the whole correspondence it is to try to bridge over the gulf that separates the different peoples, and I am convinced that this cannot be done by learned school work.
 Our class will try now to give you in singular pictures an impression of our school and we beg you to answer the different questions and to give us also an insight into your school life. I know that this is very difficult and this is only an experiment. I fear that even these letters are not what they should and would be. But we are very much interested in school problems and therefore we have tried to write these letters. Also we have heard that you have very good schools in America and we can perhaps learn many things from you and we are sure that you can give us some good advice.
 Please excuse my open straightforward language which was only called forth by our desire to make this interschool correspondence as fruitful and interesting as possible.
 Looking forward to an early reply, I am,
 Yours sincerely,
 Eva Gaudinger.
 Each month has its objective and this month Christmas boxes are packed for children in foreign lands and fifty boxes will be prepared for children of Floyd County. Each room in the schools will pack two boxes, one for a boy and one for a girl, except High School and Lockney school, in this case each grade will pack two boxes. These Christmas boxes must be ready to be sent by the thirty first of this month, says Mrs. Smith.
 The dimensions of these boxes are about the size of a paving brick or nine inches long, three inches deep and four inches wide. Any of the rural schools who want to fill some of the Christmas boxes can get them by calling Mrs. Lon V. Smith, chairman of the Junior Red Cross organization for the county.

MARRIAGE RECORD
 License to marry were issued during the past week to four couples from the office of County Clerk Mrs. Clara Lee Scott, as follows:
 October 6, D. L. Alexander and Miss Zenobie Campbell;
 October 6, J. E. Edwards and Miss Pearl Edwards;
 October 8, J. H. Potete and Miss Almer Bever;
 October 12, Gradus Partain and Miss Lalute Ratliff.
SISTER OF C. W. SMITH DIES IN PLAINVIEW SUN.
 Mrs. Chillie O'Connor, of Goodland, Texas, and sister of C. W. Smith of this city, became ill after returning from a trip to central Texas and was carried to the Plainview Sanitarium Thursday where she died Sunday morning at 2:15 o'clock. Mrs. O'Connor was twenty four years old at the time of her death.
 She is survived by her husband, R. S. O'Connor, and one little daughter, Sylvia, six year old. Other relatives besides these are her father, C. A. Smith of Lubbock, two brothers, C. W. Smith of this city and H. L. Smith of Lubbock, and two sisters, Mrs. J. A. Beatty and Rosabelle Smith of Goodland. All of whom attended the funeral. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Slaughter, of this city also attended the funeral and Mrs. J. S. Jardell, of Beaumont.
 Funeral services were held in Plain-

TENT SHOW STAGE SETTING FOR YOUNG COUPLE'S WEDDING
 The stage of Arthur's Comedians, tent show in Floydada last week, was the setting for a marriage ceremony performed by Judge E. C. Nelson, Jr. The feature was advertised extensively by the showpeople and drew a large crowd.
 The contracting parties were a young couple who reside on Route Two out of Lockney, Mr. L. H. Potete and Miss Almer Bevers.
 Both the couple and the officiating judge appeared to go through the ordeal with a minimum of stage fright.
WILSON KIMBLE HOME
 Wilson Kimble reached home Saturday of last week from Chicago, Minneapolis, St. Paul and Kansas City, at each of which places he spent some time in the market for his jewelry store. At Chicago, he spent a few days in an optical school for postgraduates, and likewise gave some time to the study and practice of diamond mounting.
 "I either bought myself rich or poor," Mr. Kimble said. "I bought lots of merchandise for the fall and winter trade."

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TWO NOT GUILTY VERDICT ON LIQUOR CHARGES DIST. COURT

Thursday afternoon the jury in the case of L. D. Hawkins, John and Richard Smith, all on trial on a liquor charge, returned a verdict of not guilty in District Court as to John and Richard Smith. The jury was unable to agree as to L. D. Hawkins and following their discharge the case was carried over to the next term of court.
 Thursday afternoon the case of Wiley Day, charged with assault with intent to murder was tried. A verdict carrying a fine of \$25 was returned by the jury. A similar charge against Charles Crausby and Rip Snodgrass was given to the jury Saturday and a verdict of \$50 fine each and costs were assessed.
 This week civil docket cases are up. Tuesday one divorce was granted. On the same day a temporary injunction granted Geo. T. Meriwether against E. A. Bowman, both of Lockney, in December, 1924, was made permanent.
 The suit on note and petition for foreclosure of lien filed by the First National Bank of Lockney against H. Howard, was tried Tuesday afternoon. The bank was given judgment as prayed for.
 The Bloodworth boundary suit cases in which Judge Joiner is disqualified, were continued to the next term of court.
 The jury for the week was dismissed Monday afternoon.
 Next week the criminal docket will again be taken up.
 The grand jury resumed their work today after a recess of practically two weeks.

MIRIAM OLSON TEACHING IN "PRIMARY SCHOOL IN ABILENE"
 The McMurray College student publication has the following concerning a local girl in its issue of last week:
 "Miss Miriam Olson, who has spent the past two years in McMurray doing college work, is now employed in the primary department of Central Ward (Abilene Schools). This is Miss Olson's first experience as a teacher and from all indications, she is making a wonderful success. Miss Olson's splendid record, while in McMurray, was very instrumental in gaining the present position."
 Miss Olson is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Olson.

OLYMPIC THEATRE PROGRAM FOR THE WEEK
 Thursday, Oct. 14th—
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 Featuring Douglass Fairbanks, and all-star cast; photographed entirely in technicolor. The most appealing, romantic and adventurous role Doug ever pranced through. Pirates! Buried Treasure! Romance! A vivid yarn of the rolling ocean; the love story of a bold Buccaneer. Don't miss it. Also a good comedy, and Fox News reel.
 Friday, Oct. 15th—
 "BRAVEHEART"
 Featuring Rod La Rocque, with an all-star cast. A dramatic and colorful romance of Indian and college life, of a noble redman's love and of a great sacrifice. Also a good two-reel comedy.
 Saturday, Oct. 16th—
 "NO MAN'S GOLD"
 Featuring Tom Mix and his Wonder Horse "Tony." The rough riding, broncho busting, sure shooting, lassoing Leviathan of the saddle in his most spectacular western drama. Tom Mix "says it with thrills" in his latest whirlwind western. Also good two-reel comedy.
 Monday & Tuesday, Oct. 18 & 19th—
 "THREE FACES EAST"
 Featuring Jetta Goudal, Robert Ames, Henry B. Walthall and Clive Brook. An intensely gripping melodramatic mystery photoplay of the Secret Service, with a background of war and a highly romantic story of love and a noble woman's sacrifice for her country's sake. A never-to-be-forgotten screen spectacle. Also Andy Gump Comedy and Fox News Reel.
 Wednesday & Thursday, Oct. 20 & 21—
 "THE UNKNOWN SOLDIER"
 With Charles E. Mack, Marguerite D. La Motte, Henry B. Walthall and a star cast. An extraordinary picture story of love, war and peace, filled with tears, laughs, appeal and excitement—the most remarkable picture production of the decade. Also Fox News and a good comedy.

MARRIAGE RECORD
 License to marry were issued during the past week to four couples from the office of County Clerk Mrs. Clara Lee Scott, as follows:
 October 6, D. L. Alexander and Miss Zenobie Campbell;
 October 6, J. E. Edwards and Miss Pearl Edwards;
 October 8, J. H. Potete and Miss Almer Bever;
 October 12, Gradus Partain and Miss Lalute Ratliff.

SISTER OF C. W. SMITH DIES IN PLAINVIEW SUN.
 Mrs. Chillie O'Connor, of Goodland, Texas, and sister of C. W. Smith of this city, became ill after returning from a trip to central Texas and was carried to the Plainview Sanitarium Thursday where she died Sunday morning at 2:15 o'clock. Mrs. O'Connor was twenty four years old at the time of her death.
 She is survived by her husband, R. S. O'Connor, and one little daughter, Sylvia, six year old. Other relatives besides these are her father, C. A. Smith of Lubbock, two brothers, C. W. Smith of this city and H. L. Smith of Lubbock, and two sisters, Mrs. J. A. Beatty and Rosabelle Smith of Goodland. All of whom attended the funeral. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Slaughter, of this city also attended the funeral and Mrs. J. S. Jardell, of Beaumont.
 Funeral services were held in Plain-



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Floydada To Greet Air Planes Who Fly This way

Next time you take an airplane ride over Floydada you'll know where you are by the sign on top of Barker Bros. garage. Barker Bros. are Ford and Fordson dealers, and the well-known head of the Ford company is interested in aeronautics. In fact, he has gone into the aeroplane building business as a side-line and knows some of the problems of the flier. Among these problems is the one of knowing "where you are at," which affords no little annoyance and, sometimes some real trouble to the flier, especially in unknown territory much the same as an automobile traveller on un-marked roads.

At Mr. Ford's suggestion the local garage men marked the sign on top of his building. "Floydada" in broad letters, three feet tall, will now greet the aviator over Floydada—a sign seventy-five feet long, extending east and west. An arrow pointing north will give the flier his bearings as to directions.

Those who had rather risk their feet to see the sign than the elusive ethereal substance above the earth, can climb a telephone pole behind the garage and get a fairly good idea of how the sign looks, it was suggested by R. C. Henry, employe of the local dealers. Mr. Henry designed the sign and was superintendent on the job. He admits that it was well-done.

TECH REGISTRATIONS INCREASE

LUBBOCK, Sept. 31.—The registration of students at the Texas Technological College at the close of the first week had reached 1,270 and with a few late arrivals the first of the week, the number has now reached approximately 1,300 according to the most recent announcements. The number enrolled for the same time last year was 743, making the increase this year approximately 66 2-3 per cent. Should the enrollment continue on the same basis there will be 1,700 students in the Tech before the close of the year.

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FARMER WATCHES THE TRICKS, SO HE WON'T GET IN A DEVIL OF A FIX

Two or three weeks ago, S. A. Greer, sage of Valley View Farm in Sand Hill Community, ordered out a load of feeder hogs from one of the commission houses at St. Jo, Missouri, planning to feed out a lot of accumulated maize, thus marketing it on the hoof.

In due time the hogs arrived at the local freight yards—161 head—all good looking feeders. On inspection, however, some 21 head of the hogs were found to be blind from dipping. The matter was taken up by wire with the commission house, and an offer made of half-price for the twenty-one head. This was refused by wire and an explanatory statement made to the effect that the government inspector said the hogs' eyesight would return as soon as they began to be fed. Mr. Greer was still doubtful. He didn't want to buy blind hogs.

When Mr. Greer gets in doubt he turns poet, and here is the result of his ruminations:

The farmer has a dickens of a time
To keep his farm business going fine;
With cotton so low and maize so slow,
And nothing he's got to bring the
dough.

So he thought to keep from going to the
dogs
He would have shipped in some feed-
er hogs;

So the hogs came in and looked O. K.,
But some were so blind they couldn't
see hay.

Then he wired the dealer about the
matter
And he wired back they could see
when they got fatter;
But the farmer don't know but what it
is tricks
That will throw him in a devil of a
fix.

WINS SECOND PLACE IN ANNUAL SPEED AND ACCURACY CONTEST

In a recent check listing speed and accuracy contest among bank employes of Southern California, Irvin Bishop, former Floydada boy and once cashier of the First State Bank here, made a record that is rather dizzying and at that was second man in the contest.

In the eliminations among the 235 employes of the Long Beach Branch of the Central Trust & Savings Bank, of which he is an employe, Bishop won first place and represented the bank in the contest among similarly chosen representatives from other banks of the southern part of California, held at a large club adjacent to Los Angeles. A representative of the Bank of Italy won first place, listing 200 checks two seconds ahead of Irvin, or the equivalent of six checks. In the contest it was necessary for all checks to be listed correctly. An error automatically eliminated a contestant.

On the basis of listing indicated above, it took Bishop practically sixty-seven seconds to finish his list and his contestant won by listing the same number of checks correctly in sixty-five seconds.

FIRE DOES DAMAGE TO FORD

Wednesday morning of last week, a fire broke out in the rear seat of a Ford touring car, belonging to John Nichols, negro, at the Sparks Brothers garage, causing a loss of approximately fifty dollars. The fire was found by Wallace Sparks, proprietor of the garage, and an alarm was sounded at once. The flames were extinguished by the city fire department.

The fire caused considerable damage to the Ford, but the other cars in the garage were unharmed.

What's Doing In West Texas Today

West Texas' improvement program for the week ending October 8, given out by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce include the following:

Tulia—Contract has been let for the construction of a 42-room modern hotel here, the cost of which will be approximately \$70,000.

Carlsbad, N. M.—Carlsbad will be host to members of the Pecos Valley Medical Association on October 28. A trip to the Carlsbad Cavern is included in the convention program.

Marfa—A bond election fostered by the local chamber of Commerce recently carried here for the issuance of \$58,000 for waterworks and \$55,000 for sewerage.

Stamford—The West Texas Chamber of Commerce is ready to serve farmers of its territory in the shipment of car load lots of extra good native vaccinated Missouri pigs averaging about eighty pounds.

Alamogordo, N. M.—A saw mill with 100,000 board feet capacity per ten hour shift, and a large box factory are under construction here by the Breese Lumber Company of Albuquerque.

Crowell—The building program here which has been steady for the last few years is still going forward, with about \$15,000 now going into the construction of new homes.

Winters—The Winters Chamber of Commerce directorate have worked out a model method for the renewal of memberships to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. They proposed that each director of the Winters Chamber of Commerce renew a certain number of memberships and secure new ones in lieu of continuing the service of the regional membership solicitor. In exchange the West Texas Chamber agricultural manager is to show motion pictures to rural communities tributary to Winters, and the publicity manager is to aid in community advertising schemes. The proposal has been accepted by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, as a great saving will be effected through the arrangement and at the same time Winters will have the benefit of personal work of the regional staff members. Winters offers this plan to all West Texas towns.

Bledsoe—Building operations for a new gin with four eighty saw stands have begun here.

Artesia—Streets in the paving program for Artesia are being surveyed preparatory to the work of contractors which will begin at once.

Littlefield—President Arthur P. Duggan of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has announced the program for the second quarterly executive board meeting of that organization to be held in Fort Worth October 15. Big problems concerning the protection of West Texans' interest will be discussed, among them being the proposed raise of insurance rates, state equalization of taxes, and the question of the proposed Kansas City, Southern, M. K. & T. and St. Louis Southwestern railroad merger.

Morton—The syrup mill west of this place has begun operations which are expected to continue for a long run as a large acreage of sorghum and sugar cane planted here for syrup making purposes has made a big yield.

FORD CAR OVERTURNS SUNDAY IN MUD ON LOCKNEY HIGHWAY

A Ford touring car belonging to John Matthews, was overturned about five miles north of town on the Lockney-Floydada Highway last Sunday evening. Mr. Matthews was driving the car at the time, and was alone when the accident occurred.

The cause of the accident, Mr. Matthews stated, was due to a mud hole in the road. The car skidded in the slick mud and overturned into a ditch beside the road. The car was slightly damaged.

C. H. Brazier and mother, Mrs. Lara Brazier, O. P. Rutledge, C. T. Stephens, and Olive Virginia Grigsby left Monday for Dallas where they will attend the State Fair. Mr. Rutledge will possibly go from there to several eastern cities, in other states.

Nervous hot flashes

"SOME time ago when in a very nervous, run-down condition," says Mrs. Martha F. Marlow, of Broken Bow, Okla., "I tried numerous remedies to try at least to keep going, but I could not. I was weak and tired—just no good at all. My back ached and I had hot flashes until I was so very nervous I smothered."

"I couldn't sleep and I was never hungry, and I kept getting weaker. I couldn't stand on my feet. This was an unusual condition for me as I had been pretty strong all along. I knew that I would have to do something, and that pretty soon."

"Some friend suggested that I take Cardui, and it certainly was a good suggestion, for after taking one bottle I could tell I was stronger and better. I didn't quit. I kept it up all through the change and did fine. I felt like a different person after I began taking Cardui."

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Miss Chase, Stovall, who are teaching school in Petersburg, spent Sunday here visiting friends.

qu, N. M., is here visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Bagwell. She arrived Saturday. She is a guest of Miss Blanche B. and Wednesday.

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We Buy Cotton Outright for the Round Bale

Our Big Plant has eight gin stands in operation. Two square bale presses and one round bale press. Take your choice. The round bale is accepted for shipment by railroad companies without further compressing for that reason there is more net profit to the farmer who sells his cotton to us. That point is worth your investigation.

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We are equipped to give you the best of service and choice of plans to market your cotton crop.

The best service in Western Texas and as good as can be had in the world we are in position to save you money. Investigate our claims.

Prompt service and always at your service.

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FLOYDADA, TEXAS

CHURCH

F. L. Davis, Pastor.

You missed it by not seeing the pictures last Lord's day night. They were fine. Most of the audience has been giving to Missions for years, but never realized the scope of the work done. We feel that we will want to give more in the future. When one remembers that for each eleven dollars spent in the Home department of the U. C. M. S. wins a soul to Christ we should want to give to that work.

We have sent for a set of pictures on State Missions for next Sunday night. That will show the work done by the Brotherhood in State Missions. We hope they will arrive, but should they fail we will use some of our Bible pictures. Will show the ones: "Forty Years in the Wilderness." These will be fine and you should see them.

Well we decided to have our Membership Day next Sunday, weather and roads permitting. It has rained us out twice, but as it began to threaten and mist so early we hope it will be nice the last of the week. Our motto is: "If at first you don't succeed, just keep on trying." The same plan will be followed next Sunday as previously announced. Rally Day and preaching at the church and then dinner at the tabernacle and business following. Be sure to be present. Any friends are invited to bring their dinner and join us. All the members of the family are expected to come, even the some of them do not belong to the church.

The canvassers to put on the every member drive are to meet at the church tonight at 7:30.

Don't forget the Prayer Meeting each week on Wednesday night.

The little church has a big welcome for you at any and all of the services. Come bring a friend.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

J. L. Henson, Pastor.

The teacher of the Brotherhood Class wishes to thank the men for the hearty way in which they entered into the class discussion last Sunday. If you will just keep on firing in the questions for discussion it will help greatly.

Sunday School at 9:45. J. V. Daniel, Supt.

Preaching by pastor morning and evening. At the morning service the sermon theme will be: "The Ministry of the Holy Spirit." Mr. Randerson will sing.

At 7:00 p. m. the sermon will be on: "The Lordship of Christ and Man's Devotion to Him." The Young People's Choir with Mrs. Steen in charge will lead the music.

Junior League at 3:00 p. m. Sunday. Senior League at 6:00 p. m. Brother E. Martin who was granted local Preacher's License at Plainview Monday will conduct the Prayer Meeting.

Mississippi Street Church of Christ

We were delighted with the splendid audience last Lord's day. There were also several present at night. All are invited to be with us again next Lord's day at 11:00 a. m. Bro. A. L. Scoggin will address the audience at that hour. Bible Study begins at 10:00 a. m. Our prayer meeting last week was fine. While there were only twenty one present on account of the bad weather yet they all took part in the service.

Ira L. Sanders, Minister.

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Clarence Allen Morton, Pastor Sunday School 10 a. m.; B. Y. P. U.'s 6:45 p. m.

Preaching by the pastor 11 a. m., and evening 7:45. Baptizing Sunday night. W. M. S. Missionary program at the church building Monday at 4 p. m.

Wednesday 7:45 p. m. prayer services. Monday 7:15 p. m., choir rehearsal. You have a cordial invitation to come and worship with us.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S BIBLE DRILL

Our Young People's drill at the Mississippi Street Church of Christ continues with interest. We have changed the time to 3:30 p. m. each Monday and extend a special invitation to all children to meet with us. So don't forget next Monday 3:30 p. m.

Ira L. Sanders, Minister.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY

A number of the ladies of the Church of Christ met this week with Mrs. F. C. Harmon for a Bible study.

The next meeting will be held next Wednesday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock with Mrs. D. Fyffe. A quilt will be made in the fore part of the afternoon, and the Bible study will be held at 3 o'clock.

All ladies who are interested in Bible study are invited to come and study with us. Our lesson will be from Second Kings twentieth chapter to Second Kings twenty-second chapter. Reporter.

Quilting at the Methodist Church Today

The Pastors' Helpers, Sunday School class of the Methodist Church, will meet today in the basement of the Methodist Church to quilt. All members of the class, and all visitors are urged to be present and help quilt.

This class is soliciting quilts, and doing the quilting for the benefit of the class.

Christian Endeavor Program

Sunday, October 17th

The subject of the Christian Endeavor program for Sunday will be "What Ideals Are Found in the Constitution of the United States," with Mrs. Kenneth Bain as leader. The scripture lesson will be taken from Romans 13:1-8. The remainder of the program will be given as follows:

Song—"The Star Spangled Banner." Prayer.

Song—God Bless Our Native Land. No Religious Test—Mrs. R. P. King.

Religious Freedom—Ollie Bell Collins.

The Right of Impeachment—Alpha King.

How Can Christian Endeavor Help to exalt the Constitution. Business. Benediction.

MRS. W. J. RICHARDS DIES IN LOCKNEY FOLLOWING ILLNESS

Mrs. W. J. Richards, age 74, a resident of Floyd County for a number of years, died in her home in Lockney last Tuesday morning. Mrs. Richards had been ill for some six or eight weeks, with increasing seriousness the past two weeks. She resided with her husband five miles north of town until it became necessary to move to Lockney where she could be given the proper medical care.

Deceased was buried in the Lockney cemetery Wednesday afternoon. The funeral was conducted by Rev. McCarty, pastor of the First Baptist church of Lockney. She is survived by a husband, two sons and a daughter, all residents of Floyd County. She is also survived by five brothers and sisters, but they were unable to be present at the funeral.

T. R. WEBB WILL MANAGE AUTO SALES COMPANY AT ABILENE

T. R. Webb, for the past year manager of the sales department of the Barker Bros. Ford Agency, left this week with his family for Abilene, where Mr. Webb will be manager of The Motor Sales Company, distributors of Pontiac and Oakland Automobiles in that territory.

The new agency will be retail and wholesale distributors for these two cars of the General Motors Company line. Decision to make the change was reached by Mr. Webb the latter part of last week.

During a residence of some four years in Floyd County Mr. Webb has been engaged in fire insurance and the automobile business. He was head of the Chamber of Commerce for nearly a year, and his departure creates a vacancy on the city council. He and his wife took an active part in the civic, social and church life of the community.

DOUGHBOYS FIGHT WAR OVER IN MOVIE.

"None but former doughboys need apply!"

That was the slogan of George Fitzmaurice when recruiting a battery of field artillery, a troop of cavalry and a company of infantry, which he used at United Studios for a wartime sequence in his screen version of the famous stage play, "The Dark Angel." His entire young army was manned and officered by A. E. F. veterans, and a military atmosphere on the lot was complete.

"The Dark Angel," to be First National's offering at the Royal theatre next Monday and Tuesday, features Ronald Colman, himself a veteran of the London Scottish during the World War, and Vilma Banky, Samuel Goldwyn's beauty, who makes her American debut in this picture.

Cullen "Hezi" Tate, who assisted Fitzmaurice in the direction of "The Dark Angel," proved of immense value in the filming of the wartime sequence because of his own experience as an officer of the A. E. F.

MAC WHORTON, OF LOCKNEY, DIED OF PNEUMONIA MONDAY

Mac Whorton, about 40, of Lockney, died Wednesday morning this week of pneumonia, after an illness of several days.

He is survived by a wife and three children. Mr. Whorton had been employed with Brewster & Riley, grocers, for the past two years.

Ralf Zachery, of Clarendon, arrived Monday to spend some time here visiting friends and relatives.

Filler with Games Here

Two out of three open dates for Floydada High School's football squad this season were filled this week by Superintendent J. C. Wester, and both of the games are scheduled to be played in Floydada, so that holders of season tickets are in to get a bargain for their money. Incidentally, both games come on holidays to make it all the more interesting. Lubbock, Class A school, will be the Armistice Day opponent of the Green and White. The two schools signed a two-year contract. F. H. S. goes to Lubbock next year.

Turkey Day Slaton High Tigers are due to get their eyes full of sand here. The Whirlwinds have lost to the Slaton boys three straight times and each time the game was for the district championship. Two of these games have been played at Slaton and one here. The local boys are sure to point for this game in the belief that it is going to be their toughest this season. The date is November 25.

Between these two heavy games scheduled for the home grounds, the Green and White have another game with a considerable question mark in it. This is with Littlefield at Littlefield on November 19. The Littlefield coaches are making strong claims for their team. They expect to play Slaton for the championship and have declared they are confident of winning.

Friday, October 22—next week is now the only open date for the local school before the close of the interscholastic season.

WEBB RESIGNED AS COUNCILMAN; ALL OF PAVING WORK ACCEPTED

At Tuesday night's regular meeting of the city council, the resignation of T. R. Webb as councilman, was accepted, and an election will be called to fill the vacancy.

At the same meeting the final paving project completed by the Earl W. Baker Company on South Main Street was accepted by the council, and payment ordered made for all paving and engineering work done. The engineer's fees for services done totalled approximately \$2,500.

Several hundred feet of badly needed sidewalks on West Kentucky and First Streets were ordered put in, and crossings will be laid by the city to make connections to town for residents of the south part of West Side Heights and the Barker Addition.

Edgar B. Howard, of Philadelphia, Pa., and brother, Alvin P. Howard, of New Orleans, arrived Saturday for a stay of several days in Floydada. The Howard brothers have extensive land holdings in this county and also Hall, Motley and Briscoe counties and they make a trip once each year to this vicinity to look after their property interests.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Salyer and daughter, Miss Ivey, of Littlefield, spent Monday of this week with Mrs. Salyer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Pool.

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You'll say when you try one of these 'top coats'—Just the style for me.

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The season's most popular and most desirable styles are included in this extraordinarily low price collection. Offering values by far the season's best.

Felts, Velours, Satins, Velvet, Velvet Combinations.

Children's Hats Reduced Accordingly

Friday's Game Moved

Mrs. A. L. McCracken, 44, of Sand Hill community, died yesterday morning about 10 o'clock, following a prolonged illness with cancer, her death being not unexpected.

Funeral services were held this morning at 10 o'clock at the family's home seven miles west of Floydada, conducted by Rev. J. L. Henson, pastor of the First Methodist Church, and interment will follow at noon in Floydada Cemetery.

Deceased is survived by her husband and three children, one son and two daughters. The family have lived in this county for the past five years.

Mrs. Cella Ross left Wednesday for Wichita Falls, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Edwin McReynolds.

Gains Teeple and Buster Shepard returned Monday night from a trip to Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Baker returned home Thursday. Mrs. Baker has been in Mineral Wells for several weeks. She met Mr. Baker at Weinert and they went from there to Dallas and spent a few days, returning by way of Weinert for Mrs. E. C. Henry, who had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Pitzer Baker.

Mrs. Rip Snodgrass who has been visiting with relatives in Quanah for the past several days returned home Tuesday night. She was accompanied home by her sister, Mrs. George Clifton, who will visit with Mrs. Snodgrass and also with another sister, Mrs. Tom Porter. Mrs. Clifton and Mrs. Snodgrass came on the line car as far as Matador and Mr. Snodgrass met them there.

Miss Ruth Carr spent the week-end with her parents in the Harmony Community.

Wester Seeks Nice Hillside

Jupiter Pluvius' extreme generosity during the past few weeks has put Floydada Baseball Park, intended scene of the Floydada-Ralls football game tomorrow, two inches to two feet under water, and it will be necessary to play games scheduled during all the month of October, possibly in some other enclosure hereabout.

"I am hunting a nice hillside now," Superintendent J. C. Wester said Monday, and since there are few hillsides left, he is expecting to have some trouble getting his proteges a place to demonstrate their football superiority over the Ralls Jackrabbits.

No game is scheduled yet for October 22, Mr. Wester said, and if the game they play on that date is held here the waters may have receded in time for the ground at the park to be used. This is hardly probable, however.

Yesterday Mr. Wester said temporary grounds for the games to be played at home had been arranged for in the Duncan pasture two blocks and three streets east of the High School Building. Tomorrow's game and possibly others will be played on that ground.

N. G. Jackson, of Tulia, spent the first of the week, here with his wife who has been ill in the Smith & Smith Sanitarium.

Mrs. Jennie Person, of Appleton, Ark., is a guest of her sister, Mrs. E. T. Hanks.

AGAIN FRIDAY

Heck, rain again. Plenty of moisture promised steady downpour which began this morning, apparently all set for the remainder of the fall.

Optimists aver that whereas the rains have been starting on Friday for the past thirty days, this rain will end on Friday and that the remainder of the fall favorable weather will prevail.

Rain for last week-end materialized Friday night, after a brief respite, during which Floyd County farmers had just begun to make inroads on their feed and cotton crop gathering. 1.55 inches fell in Floydada and reports indicate that the fall was much greater in some other portions of the county.

As a result of the rain reports indicate that ill high water marks for lakes over the county had been exceeded. Lakes began running together before the last rain and those close to the caprock were pouring over the escapement in streams. This additional rainfall made the flow of water heavier. Cotton and feed were destroyed to a greater extent in some portions of the county, too, the rain being accompanied by considerable wind.

This week cloudy weather has prevailed more than half of the time and although a trace of moisture fell Wednesday morning early no measurable quantity of rain had fallen.

HALF-MINUTE INTERVIEWS

J. M. Hughes: "The road from Floydada to Fort Worth is as bad as it can be. The mud is deep and deeper now."

Hesperian Want Ads—Results.

The St. Louis Cardinals

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Lettuce IMPERIAL VALLEY ICE BERGS LARGE HEADS EACH 8c

Celery LARGE BUNCHES TENDER EACH 14c

Home Demonstration Club News

Community Clubs Hold Fall Garden Show.

Seventy two varieties of vegetables were displayed at the Fall Garden Show Friday afternoon by the Home Demonstration club of the Sand Hill community at the home of Mrs. G. C. Collins.

The display included many new varieties of vegetables such as water cress, endive, new Zealand spinach, Chinese cabbage, Kale and pimento peppers. One stalk of pepper grown by Mrs. Mason Riley had 478 pods of hot pepper. Other vegetables which were very fine included turnips and greens, carrots, okra and several varieties of tomatoes.

Mrs. W. E. Miller, garden demonstrator for the Sand Hill club, grew seven-

ty varieties of vegetables in her garden.

The Harmony Demonstration club held their Fall garden show Wednesday afternoon, October 6th, at the home of Mrs. W. C. Parkey. Forty one varieties of vegetables were displayed. Mrs. David Battey is special garden demonstrator for the Harmony club.

The gardens are judged on a basis of the report each member gives on a questionnaire sent out by A. & M. College and also by pictures made of the products. These reports will be judged at A. & M. College and the winners will be announced probably sometime in December. Prizes will be given to the first, second, third and fourth winners in the state. The Hasting Seed Company offers \$35.00, \$20.00, \$15.00 and \$10.00 as prizes. The Nitrate Fertil-

zer Company offers the same amount to the winners. A Red Star range will be given by the Red Star Company to the winner in each district.

The Nitrate Fertilizer Company furnished the fertilizer for the gardens and each member of the club had to pledge herself to raise a garden and do the best she could. Miss Bass says the members are very enthusiastic over the result of the fertilizer and find that the yield is two and sometimes three and four times as much as on ordinary soil. Miss Bass, who is supervising the work also says that she is very confident that some of the Floyd County clubs will win some of the state prizes. Starkey will have garden show later. The Blanco club will not likely get to hold their garden show as Mrs. D. R. Badgett, special garden demonstrator for the Blanco club, had her garden planted near a lake and all of the vegetables are under water.

Miss Bass says Mrs. Badgett had one of the finest fall gardens in the county.

Several other communities organized garden clubs but in some cases the special demonstrators moved away and other various things happened.

Blanco Club

The club met at the home of Mrs. J. L. McPeak, Thursday, October 7th, with eleven members, one visitor and Miss Blanch Bass present.

A good part of the time was taken up by Miss Bass in telling us how to make different kinds of rugs. Miss Bass and Miss Wood, Home Demonstration agent of Hale County, are thinking of having a rug making contest between the club women of Hale and Floyd counties, next spring instead of a dress contest as heretofore. Their plans are for the women to work on their rugs during the winter months.

We will meet next time Thursday, October 21, with our president, Mrs. L. C. Wheeler, at which time we will have the program on "Ethics." We hope to have an experienced club woman of the county with us to tell us what she has learned by actual experience on the subject.

Harmony Club

The Harmony Home Demonstration club met Wednesday, October 6th at the home of Mrs. W. C. Parkey. Eleven members and one visitor Mrs. Boyett, of Breckenridge, were present.

The earlier part of the afternoon was used for gathering and arranging vegetables from the Fall Club garden and making pictures of them. There were forty one varieties of vegetables in the exhibit.

After completing this work Miss Bass discussed with us, two plans of work which she wants her clubs to undertake during the cold days and long evenings this winter, "Rug Making" and embroidery of linens.

Our next meeting will be with Mrs. L. E. Williams, October 20th the subject for this meeting is "The School Lunch."

Roll Call—My Family's favorite for Lunch Box.

Leader—Mrs. Erx Williams. Reasons for Hot Lunch—Mrs. D. T. Scott.

Value of supervision while eating—Mrs. David Battey.

Value of weighing and measuring Children—Mrs. O. H. Heard.

Demonstration on packing lunch—Miss Bass.

This is a very important subject and should be of vital interest to all members. Let every one be present.

IDEAL BUCCANEERING IN "THE BLACK PIRATE"

A roistering tale is "The Black Pirate" at the Olympic Theatre, a glorious riot adventure. The colorful exploits Douglas Fairbanks and a pirate crew has been added the most perfect Technicolor yet flashed upon the

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Never did more villainous crew board the peaceful merchantman than that headed by Douglas Fairbanks. With a gay "yo ho" and a muttered curse, he takes us back to the old dark days when buccaneers sailed the Spanish Main.

Treasure chests in secret hiding places, sparkling water and gray sky, these are the background for a swash-

buckling adventure story. Then there are alarms and excursions and gallant, incredible rescues.

And there is Doug, too, in a part he must have loved. When he's not skinning up the rigging he's fighting duels, swimming through green-blue waters or taking a vessel single handed. That exploit, of course, is the very essence of Fairbanks, Swarming up the slippery sides, he is a pirate crew in himself. He does every one of the magnificent, unbelievable things that little boys dream of. Last showing today.

A CHRISTMAS SUGGESTION

A pleasing portrait. A gift that money cannot buy, but for you to give.—The very thing.

It's not too early to have those Christmas Photographs made.

WILSON STUDIO

ANNOUNCEMENT

This is to announce that Mr. J. F. Townly of Barstow, Texas, has moved to Floydada and will devote his entire time to building up the membership of the Floyd County Mutual Aid Association.

Every member has a part in the success of their association, and should encourage their friends who are not members to join. Life insurance at the lowest possible cost is what our people need, and by all working to gether we can build up the best Mutual in West Texas. The average cost per thousand insurance has been less than \$7.00 per year in our association, this is the lowest average cost of any other Mutual that we know of with as many members.

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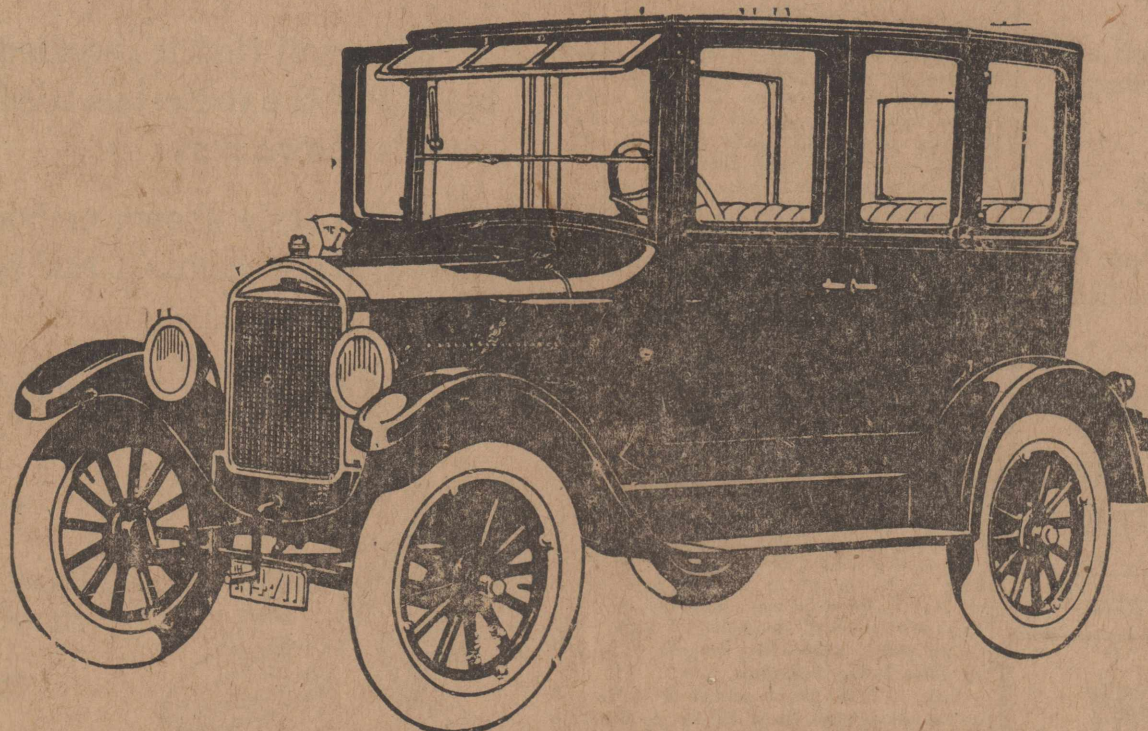
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HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

MAKING HESPER PICTURES

Last week the senior class had their pictures made for the High School Annual. This week, October 11 to 16 inclusive, has been set aside for the junior class to have their pictures made for the junior section. Every member is earnestly requested to have their pictures made at this time to avoid delay and save 27 per cent on the cost of engraving to the class sponsoring the annual.

POPULAR GIRL CONTEST

This week each class will select their representative for the most popular girl contest which will start next week. The young lady receiving the greatest number of votes will be given a full page in the annual. Keen rivalry is expected in this contest. Votes will be given with the sale of each annual. One vote for each penny paid for an annual. Read the bulletin board this week for rules governing the contest.

PARK UNDER WATER

The Whirlwinds have had to seek a new gridiron this week due to the recent rains which have caused the Sauta Fe lake to rise. The water covers practically half of the field of play. Friday's game with Ralls will be played some where in town.

NEGRO SCHOOL IN WATER

The negro school building is now standing about two feet in water as a result of the recent rains. It is hoped that the waters will recede before January the first, which is the date for the school to open.

FIRST LYCEUM PROGRAM

Last Wednesday night the music lovers of the city were royally entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wells. Mr. Wells gave a bassoon solo and several saxophone numbers. He also gave several interesting readings in dialect, and an interesting story of parents' love for their college boy. Mrs. Wells gave several pianologues and vocal solos which were well rendered and were heartily applauded. The program lasted one hour and forty minutes and it was a treat to hear it.

MCDONALD BIRCH COMING

McDonald Birch, magician and entertainer, will be the next attraction the lyceum course will have, appearing here on the evening of October 28, at the High School auditorium. Mr. Birch has a reputation of being one of the best magicians on the stage. He carries a large stage setting with him, and all during his performance, he keeps up a running fire of clean, wholesome chatter, and his audience is in a state of continuous laughter all of the time.

FRESHMAN CHAPEL PROGRAM

The Freshman class entertained with a stunt program in chapel Monday morning. Gridiron heroes representing Tahoka and Lockney were brought upon the stage on stretchers and laid to rest below a white monument inscribed "Rest in Pieces." Captains representing Ralls, Crosbyton, Spur, Littlefield and Slaton were sent upon the stage to resist the furious attack of the stalwart lad in Green and White, but all were unsuccessful in their efforts and were laid to rest in a pile below the monument. The Freshmen are 100 per cent for a football championship for Floydada this year.

WHIRLWIND FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

October 15—Ralls at Floydada.
October 22—Open date.
October 29—Spur at Floydada.
November 5—Crosbyton at Floydada.
November 11—Lubbock at Floydada.
November 19—Floydada at Littlefield.
November 25—Slaton at Floydada.

GAMES PLAYED BY WHIRLWINDS

Floydada 20—Tahoka 0.
Floydada 16—Lockney 2.
Percentage in Class B—100 per cent.

POPULAR GIRLS AND BOYS

The Seniors have selected Kate Stiles as their most popular girl and Jack de Cordova as the most popular boy. The Juniors and Freshmen have selected as their most popular girl and boy, Geneva Shipley and A. D. White. The Juniors and fish are standing together and expect to put it over on the seniors and sophs in the popular girl and boy contest as well as in the other features of school work. The juniors are looking forward to the opening of the new gymnasium and expect to have an important part in the program.

SEVENTH GRADE HONOR ROLL

The following students of the low seventh grade were on the honor roll for September: Hazel Probasco, Ruth Rutledge, Gwendolyn Snodgrass, Roxie Norton, Vivian Stegall, Wanda Tawwater, Mildred Welborn and Herwin Strickland. The following is a list of the honor roll students of the high seventh grade for the month of September: Howard Collins, Donley Stephenson, Lyda Bell Walding and Patsy Looper.

Blanco News

Blanco, October 12.—No we are not drowned out here, but so far as we have been able to learn every one has enough rain for the present. The lake two miles west of the school house is full, and the passing south is now through the Wheeler and Snell farms. There was a good size crowd enjoyed the musical at the home of J. L. McPeak last Wednesday night. The box supper that was held at the school house Friday night, October 1, netted \$40.25 which will be paid on the piano, as it was a rainy night that was extra fine we think. School turned out Friday for Cotton pulling and Miss Ruby Keeling, the superintendent, left for her home at Hale Center, Monday. Mrs. Nora E. Jones of Bledsoe visited in the home of her son, L. C. Wheeler, since our last paper. She has many friends here who are always glad to see her come back. We are glad to be able to report that Irene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cates, who was operated on for appendicitis last Wednesday night is doing nicely and will probably be able to come home Saturday. Rev. J. N. S. Webb preached at Blanco Sunday night to a fairly good size crowd, as the roads were so muddy. Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Williams and little daughter, of Fort Worth, visited her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Wheeler, a few days ago. Mrs. Williams will be remembered as Miss Wheeler who formerly lived here.

WATER PRESSURE RE-SOLES SHOES WITHOUT USING TACKS

Another use that hydraulic pressure is being put to that is out of the ordinary is in the re-soleing of shoes, a method recently adopted for ladies shoes by the Jones Shoe Shop, local shoe repair shop. A special glue is used in the process, which seals the re-sole to the upper, the hydraulic pressure being used for the purpose. The machine leaves the soles pliant and easy on the feet, it is said.

THREE YEARS TO MAKE LINCOLN FILM

Al and Ray Rockett, the young producers of "Abraham Lincoln," which is scheduled to show at the Royal Theatre Thursday and Friday, spent nearly three years transferring to the screen the life of this great patriot. Experts on the

life of Lincoln were called to aid them. All of the places connected with the life of Lincoln were visited and as exact

replica of the village of Salem where Lincoln first gained fame was built. Hesperian Want Ads Get Results.

Miss Winnie Alexander, saleslady at Hassen's Dry Goods Store, is ill this week.

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Men's Suits from \$17.50 to **\$35.00**
Boys' Suits from \$4.95 to **\$17.50**

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One lot Turkish Towels 20x40 **21c**
One lot 20c Gingham Friday and Saturday, only **16c**

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Short sleeves \$1.50 to \$1.75 Values, Friday and Saturday **\$1.19**

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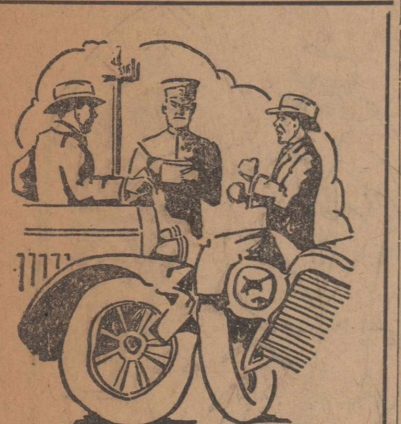
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FIRE PREVENTION IN FLOYDADA SCHOOLS THIS WEEK

Each grade in the Floydada schools during the past week have been required to write themes on "Fire Prevention," as requested by the governor of Texas, in designating this week as Fire Prevention Week.

There will be a first prize of \$3 and a second prize of \$2 in four different divisions in the grades for the best theme. These prizes are offered by the City Government and is thought to cause much interest in this contest. The first division includes the first to the third; the second, the fourth to the fifth; the third includes the sixth to the seventh; and the fourth division includes the eighth to eleventh grades. Divided in this manner, every student is given an equal chance at the prize.

According to Superintendent J. C. Wester, fire drills in leaving the building during the past week. The purpose of these drills is to teach the students the proper way to leave the building in case of fire.

Mr. Wester stated that a lesson in fire prevention is given each week during the school year to the students in the first six grades in school. It is possible that these grades will render some kind of fire prevention program for the Parent-Teacher's meeting this week.

THE DALLAS NEWS TO OFFER BARGAIN

We are in receipt of a letter from The Dallas News, stating that its Third Annual Reduced Rates Offer will be announced not later than December 1st. Once a year, The Dallas News offers its readers an opportunity to make a substantial saving on yearly subscriptions. This is a sort of Christmas present from The Dallas News to its readers. Last year and the year before, practically all of the old subscribers availed themselves of this opportunity, and thousands of new readers were added.

Among other things, The News stated that it maintains the highest priced News-gathering organization in the Southwest. Its ten leased wires, aided by an army of regular and special correspondents, bring the news from all parts of America and the remote corners of foreign lands.

In the Kitchen with 6 Famous Cooks

SIX TRADITIONAL NEW ENGLAND DISHES

(Ed. Note: This is one of a special series of articles contributed by 6 Famous Cooks. Their recipes are "different." Cut them out and paste them in your cook book.)

Probably no section of the country is as famous for its traditional dishes as New England. The eating of beans and brown bread has become almost a rite in many of those old homes.



MISS LUCY G. ALLEN

Miss Lucy G. Allen, head of the well-known Boston School of Cookery, has spent all her life in New England. She has taught hundreds of women cooking in her classes, and has written many cook books, among them "Choice Dishes for Clever Cooks," and "Table Service."

She has contributed to this unusual cooking series recipes for six typically New England dishes.

Boston Baked Beans

It's the preparation and the slow cooking which makes Boston Baked Beans superior to all others. Pick over one quart of pea or kidney beans, cover with cold water and soak over night. In the morning, drain, cover with fresh water and simmer until the skins begin to break. Drain again. Wash and score a three-inch cube of fat salt pork. Put the beans in a big, earthenware beanpot. Bury the pork in the beans, leaving the rind exposed.

Mix one tablespoon of salt, one tablespoon of molasses, three tablespoons of sugar, and one-half teaspoon of dry mustard; add these seasonings to one cup of boiling water and pour over the beans. Then add enough boiling water to cover the beans. Cover the beanpot, put in hot oven and bake six or eight hours, uncovering the last hour of cooking.



Steamed Brown Bread

For a most delectable meal, serve steaming hot brown bread with the beans. It's a prime combination. Many folks like to eat catsup with the beans. Here's the original New England Brown Bread:

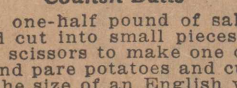
Mix two cups cornmeal, one cup of rye meal, two teaspoons of soda, two teaspoons of salt, one-half cup of molasses and about three and one-half cups of milk. Let stand for one hour, stirring occasionally. The bread is better if the meal swells before the mixture is put into the tins. Butter baking-powder tins, fill a little over one-half full, cover and steam several hours.

And Chowder

A hearty dish, liked especially by men, is fish chowder. It's economical too. Buy a four pound haddock, skinned with the head left on. Remove the fish from the backbone, cut into two inch pieces and set aside. Put the backbone broken in pieces and the head into a stewpan, add two cups of cold water, bring slowly to the boiling point and cook twenty minutes. Put into the chowder kettle an inch and a half cube of fat salt pork cut into small bits, and fry out.

Add one sliced onion and fry for five minutes. Add three or four medium sized potatoes cut in thin slices. Strain the stock from the fish bones over the potatoes and cook until they are soft.

Add the fish and simmer ten minutes, then add one quart of milk, one tablespoon of salt, one-eighth teaspoon of pepper, three tablespoons of butter and either three or four pieces of pilot bread or six or seven cooking crackers. The longer a chowder can simmer or stand before serving the better it will be.



Codfish Balls

Wash one-half pound of salt codfish and cut into small pieces using kitchen scissors to make one cupful. Wash and pare potatoes and cut into pieces the size of an English walnut to make one and one-half pints. Cook the fish and potatoes together in boiling water until potatoes are soft.

Drain thoroughly through a strainer, return to kettle and shake over the fire until the moisture is evaporated. Mash thoroughly, add one-half tablespoonful of butter, one egg well beaten and one-fourth teaspoon of pepper. Beat well with a fork to make fluffy and add salt if necessary. Drop by spoonfuls into deep fat and fry.

Pumpkin Pie

Pumpkin pie when made right is a real delicacy. And this recipe for it is especially good. For a more elaborate dish it may be served with whipped cream.

For the pastry, measure two cups of flour unsifted and sift with one-half teaspoon of salt. Cut in, using two knives, three-fourths cup of lard. Add three-fourths cup of medium cream mixing with a knife. Chill before using.

Nice Brown Doughnuts

Try frying sour milk doughnuts according to this good New England recipe of Miss Allen's. The kitchen will be a most attractive place to all members of the family when they smell these tempting doughnuts.

SOME NOTABLE MEN AND WOMEN LISTS 500 FREE BIOGRAPHIES

Austin, Texas, October 8, 1926.—Rural and small town residents may borrow about 500 biographies from the State Library, Austin, for payment only of transportation postage.

"Some Notable Men and Women" is the title of a mimeographed list, which is now being distributed by the State Library, giving the surname of the subject of the biography, the author, and the date of nearly 500 biographies in the State Library.

The purpose of this list, Miss Octavia F. Rogan, State Librarian said, is to let residents of the State know definitely what biographies may be borrowed. In the past inquirers have had to be told that the Library either did not have the requested titles or that they were too rare to be circulated.

A copy of the list "Some Notable Men and Women," with rules for borrowing the books listed may be obtained gratis by writing the Texas State Library, Austin, Texas.

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OTIS CARTER EDITS WESTERN ENTERPRISE OF ANSON, TEXAS

Otis D. Carter, of Lockney, an honor graduate of Simmons University last year, has become editor and associate manager of the Western Enterprise, a weekly newspaper published in Anson, Texas, according to the Simmons Brand.

Mr. Carter was formerly employed by the Hesperian and is well known here. He was an active member of the Floyd County Club at Simmons University, besides holding several other important positions at the College. He was Editor-in-Chief of the Simmons Brand last year.

Mr. Carter is the son of D. P. Carter of Lockney, and is a graduate of the Lockney High School.

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A. B. KEIM TO OPEN TAILOR SHOP HERE THIS WEEK-END

A. B. Keim, formerly of Tullia, announces that he will have his new tailor shop open within the next few days. His shop is in connection with the Wood Brothers clothing store, on the south side of the square.

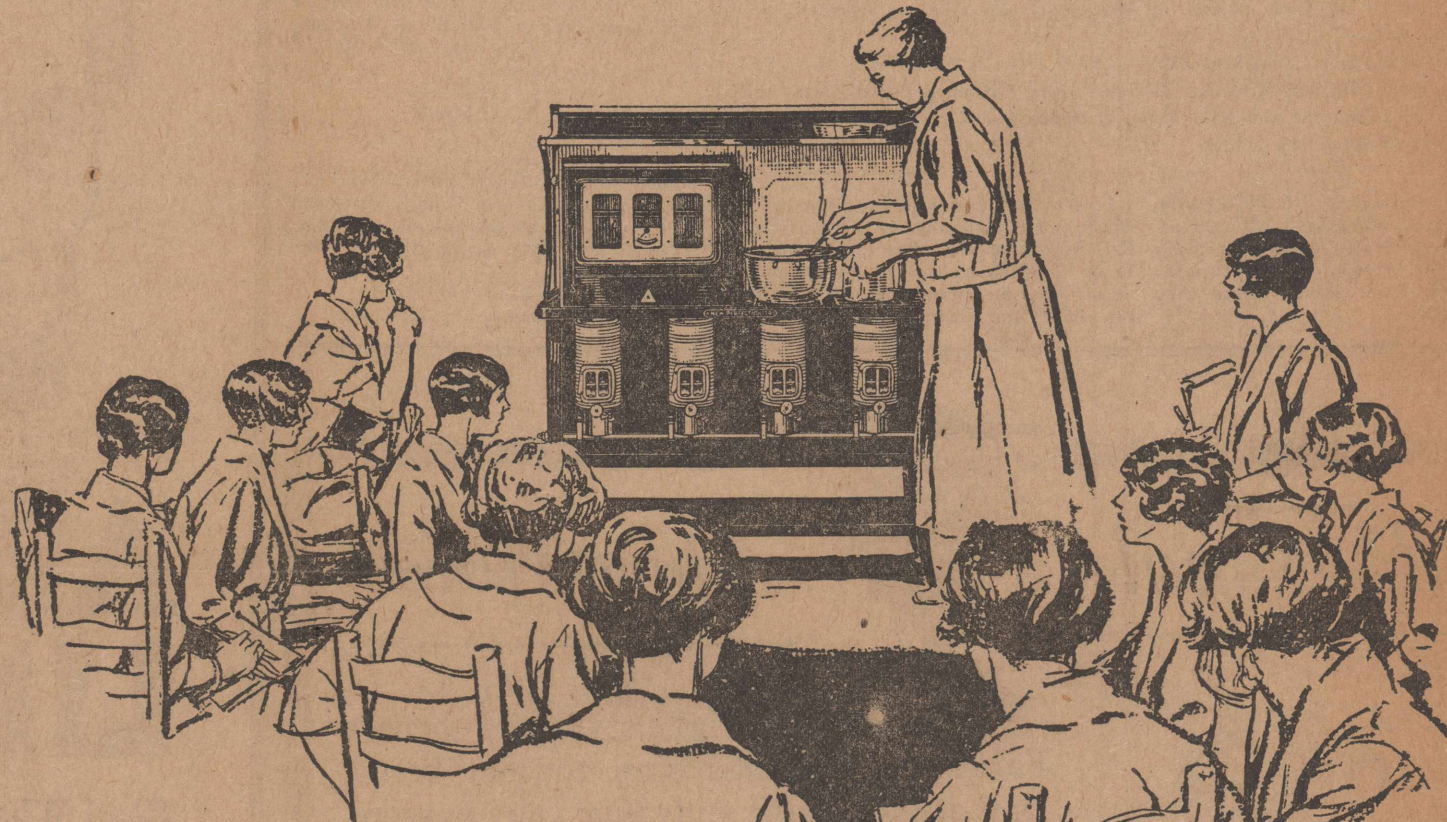
Mr. Keim has been in the tailoring business for a number of years in Tullia. He has a completely new outfit

in his new shop here. He has moved here and will make this place his home.

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BOSTON SCHOOL of COOKERY Tests and Approves



Miss Lucy G. Allen, director of the school, tells her experience with the Perfection Oil Stove.

MISS LUCY ALLEN, director of the conservative Boston School of Cookery, is one of six famous cooks who recently put the Perfection Stove to a rigorous, practical cooking test. Like the other five famous cooks, Miss Allen cooked by every cooking process, and gave us her opinion of the Perfection.

Uniformly Good Results

"I cooked many meals on the Perfection Stove," says Miss Allen. "The results, whether using the top of the stove, the oven, the broiler, or the toaster were uniformly good. There were several features sufficiently pronounced to recommend the stove to the most particular people.

Easy to Work on

"The Perfection is an easy stove to work on. There is no reaching across several hot plates, as there is with a gas or coal range.

Clean Kettles

"There was no black deposit on the cooking utensils, even when the high, yellow tipped flame was used for broiling steak.

"The long chimneys burn every drop of oil completely before the heat reaches the utensils.

"We were so well pleased with the 1926 Perfection Stove, both as to results and operation, that after completing the test we kept it to use for auxiliary work in our classes," she concluded.

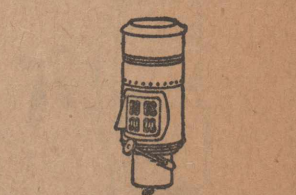
Tested and approved by the Boston School of Cookery! That means that the Perfection was used under all possible cooking conditions—for slow cooking, for fast cooking; for baking, for frying, and for broiling. In every case it was found efficient.

Six Cooks Agree

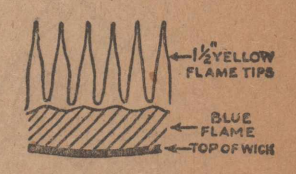
The other five famous cooks who tested the Perfection were enthusiastic, too, about the results obtained. And, every day 4,500,000 women get real cooking satisfaction from their Perfections.

See these 1926 Perfections at any dealer's. All sizes from a one-burner stove at \$7.25 to a five-burner range at \$130.00. When you cook on a 1926 Perfection, you, too, will be well pleased with it.

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Providence Home Demonstration Club Booth,
Winner Of First Prize At The Floyd Co. Fair



Among the nine Home Demonstration Clubs of Floyd County which showed at the Floyd County Fair the Providence Club was winner of the \$25 first prize offered for the best exhibit.

The booth was very neatly and attractively arranged. The decorations were yellow and green. Large vases of marigolds were on either side and the name of the club was made with yellow corn on a background of green.

The exhibit included eight varieties of preserves, eight varieties of jelly, 11 varieties of canned vegetables, five varieties of canned fruit and eight varieties of dried vegetables.

Thirty one ribbons were awarded to individual exhibits in the Providence booth. Mrs. T. E. Cowart received sixteen of the thirty-one ribbons awarded seven blues and nine reds.

Mrs. R. J. McLaughlin, president of the club; Mrs. T. E. Cowart, Mrs. R. L. Powell, Miss Ruth Phillips, Mrs. Ben McGehee, Mrs. Clarence Powell, Mrs. Williamson, Mrs. Dock Bennett and Miss Ruby Williamson had charge of the decoration and arrangement of the booth.

George A. Coverdale, of Coffeyville, Kansas, arrived Monday. Mr. Coverdale is a partner of N. A. Armstrong and he and Mr. Armstrong left Tuesday for Post and other points where they will buy cattle.

L. Wesley Read, vice-president of the First Trust Company of Dallas, and C. E. Jenett, representative of the Chicago Trust Co., Chicago were here Tuesday on business, in connection with the Johnson Land and Loan Company.

Society and Clubs

Embroidery Club Meets Today.

The Embroidery club meets today with Mrs. Homer Steen as hostess.

Mrs. Porterfield Leader Of Missionary Study.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church met Monday at the church with a good attendance. Mrs. Howard Porterfield is conducting the Missionary study and led a very interesting lesson.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Geo. Smith with Mrs. Smith and Mrs. E. C. Henry as hostesses. A program will be given from the "Missionary Voice."

Woman's Council Met Monday.

The Woman's Council of the First Christian Church met at the church Monday afternoon, for their regular monthly Missionary program. Mrs. Jno. N. Farris was leader.

At the last meeting of the Woman's Council Mrs. Pridemore, of Houston, who is a visitor in the city, gave a very interesting talk on "How the Council Work is Carried on in Houston."

Mrs. Smith Hostess to 1922 Study Club.

The 1922 Study club met Thursday afternoon, October 7th, with Mrs. L. V. Smith as hostess. The president, Mrs. W. I. Cannaday presided over the meeting. After the roll call and regular routine of music was transacted the following program was rendered:

Roll Call—Common Errors of Speech Leader—Mrs. J. B. Jenkins. Good English in the Home—Mrs. I. W. Hicks.

Slang—Effects—Remedies—Mrs. W. I. Cannaday.

Means of Encouraging Good English in the Home—Miss Grace Alexander. Favorite Magazines and Authors—Round Table Discussion led by Mrs. Herbert Ralls.

The next meeting of the club will be held, Thursday, October 21, at the home of Mrs. W. I. Cannaday with Mrs. J. U. Borum as leader.

South Ward P. T. A. Meets Friday.

The South Ward Parent-Teacher's Association will meet Friday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock at the school building.

The following program will be rendered: Third grade—Song and play. Piano solo—Emma Lou McKinney.

Rev. Morton Leads W. M. U. Lesson.

The W. M. U. of the Baptist church met in regular session at the Church Monday afternoon. A very interesting Missionary study was conducted by Rev. C. A. Morton.

The next meeting will be held Monday afternoon, October 18th, and the following program will be given, with Mrs. G. R. Strickland as leader: Hymn—Send the Light.

Prayer The Family Circle—Mrs. E. L. Norman.

Duet—Mrs. C. A. Morton and Miss Lela Windsor.

Our Foreign Mail—Mrs. E. Ray Smith Personal Service—General Discussion Hymn.

Closing Prayer.

Andrews Ward P. T. A. Will Sponsor Cafeteria.

The Andrews Ward Parent-Teachers' Association met Wednesday afternoon at the South Ward building at 3:15 o'clock. Mrs. R. E. Fry, president, was in charge of the meeting. The members voted to sponsor a cafeteria at the Andrews Ward school. They will raise money in various ways to carry on the work. One of the means of raising funds will be a food sale which will be held at the O. P. Rutledge Co. hardware store.

The next meeting will be held Wednesday afternoon at the new school building at 2:45 instead of 3:15 the usual hour of meeting.

G. A. Thomas, of Lamesa, was here Tuesday attending court.

Eastern Star Holds Social and Initiation Meeting.

Members of the Eastern Star Thursday night at the Masonic Hall initiation of Miss Gladys Covington a new member. A social meeting followed and refreshments were served.

Miss Louise Hanna, who has been attending West Texas State Teachers College at Canyon, returned home Sunday, because of illness.

George Doggett left Wednesday for Slaton where he will be employed by the Santa Fe Railway.

Mrs. R. F. Kirchner, of Galesburg, Ill., arrived Wednesday to visit her mother, Mrs. A. P. McKinnon.

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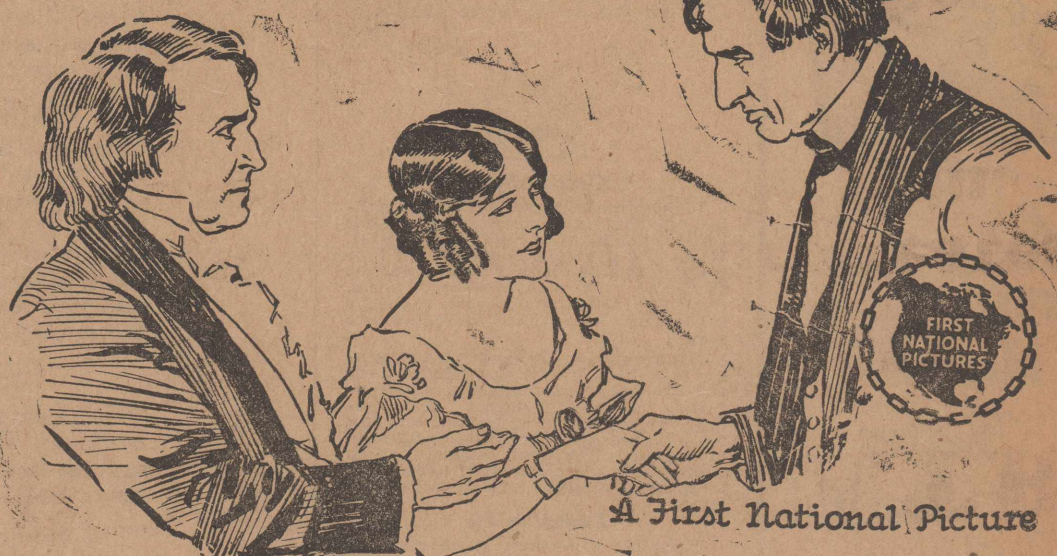
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